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TO THE UNDER SECRETARY, HOME DEPARTMENT.

SIR,—I have the honour to submit my report on the conditions obtaining during 1906 with respect to the Vital Statistics of Queensland.
 The recorded facts regarding each of the principal subjects comprised under the designation Vital Statistics exhibited during 1906 a most satisfactory improvement on the experience of the previous year. Births and marriages were more numerous, whilst deaths were much reduced in number; and although the actual migration figures were in favour of 1905, yet, in view of the special deportation of Pacific Islanders during the succeeding year, they may be considered as showing a distinct improvement, as an investigation, confined to persons of European extraction only, discloses an excess of arrivals in 1906 against a small loss in 1905. The decrease in deaths was largely due to the fact that the epidemic of dengue fever which visited Queensland in 1905 had worked itself out, the mortality from this cause in 1906 consisting of a few endemic cases only.

POPULATION.

Through mistakes arising in connection with migration returns furnished by the Customs Department to the various State Statisticians, it has been found that the estimates of population have almost invariably been over-stated. With the view of discounting, as far as possible, this tendency to error, certain agreed percentage adjustments were made in estimating population. For Federal representation purposes these adjustments have the authority of statute. They, of course, cannot be considered as applying to either immigration or emigration, but to the population estimate alone. It is impossible to say which component factor of migration is in error, and, therefore, equally impossible, with any justice, to apportion it to either. The percentage allowance, however, has, for convenience, been calculated on the basis of a certain ratio to the departures.
 The population of Queensland on 31st December, 1906, is estimated at 535,113 persons, of whom 292,609 were males and 242,504 were females. Full particulars, quarter by quarter, of the compilation upon which this estimate is based are given in the following statement:—

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	Males.	Females.	Persons.	EXCESS.			Males.	Females.	Persons.
				Males.	Females.	Persons.			
<i>Estimated Population on 1st January, 1906</i> ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	290,206	237,842	528,048
Births registered during March Quarter	1,585	1,437	3,022	...	...	...
Deaths registered during March Quarter	905	505	1,410	...	...	...
Natural Increase to Population during March Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	680	932	1,612			
Arrivals by sea and by rail during March Quarter*	8,188	4,400	12,588						
Departures by sea and by rail during March Quarter†	8,556	4,329	12,885						
Decrease by Excess of Departures over Arrivals during Quarter*† ... ..	...	...	...	− 368	71	− 297			
Total Increase to Population during March Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	312	1,003	1,315
<i>Estimated Population on 31st March, 1906</i> ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	290,518	238,845	529,363
Births registered during June Quarter	1,937	1,781	3,718	...	...	...
Deaths registered during June Quarter	747	438	1,185	...	...	...
Natural Increase to Population during June Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	1,190	1,343	2,533			
Arrivals by sea and by rail during June Quarter*	9,426	4,803	14,229						
Departures by sea and by rail during June Quarter†	8,276	3,857	12,133						
Increase by Excess of Arrivals over Departures during Quarter*† ... ..	...	...	...	1,150	946	2,096			
Total Increase to Population during June Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,340	2,289	4,629
<i>Estimated Population on 30th June, 1906</i> ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	292,858	241,134	533,992
Births registered during September Quarter	1,920	1,768	3,688	...	...	...
Deaths registered during September Quarter	769	485	1,254	...	...	...
Natural Increase to Population during September Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	1,151	1,283	2,434			
Arrivals by sea and by rail during September Quarter*	7,796	3,793	11,589						
Departures by sea and by rail during September Quarter†	7,933	3,883	11,816						
Decrease by Excess of Departures over Arrivals during Quarter*† ... ..	...	...	...	− 137	− 90	− 227			
Total Increase to population during September Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,014	1,193	2,207
<i>Estimated Population on 30th September, 1906</i> ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	293,872	242,327	536,199
Births registered during December Quarter	1,838	1,753	3,591	...	...	...
Deaths registered during December Quarter	791	455	1,246	...	...	...
Natural Increase to Population during December Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	1,047	1,298	2,345			
Arrivals by sea and by rail during December Quarter*	8,182	4,036	12,218						
Departures by sea and by rail during December Quarter†	10,492	5,157	15,649						
Decrease by Excess of Departures over Arrivals during December Quarter*† ... ..	...	...	...	− 2,310	− 1,121	− 3,431			
Total Increase (or Decrease −) to Population during December Quarter ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	− 1,263	177	− 1,086
Net Increase to Population during 1906 ... ..	...	...	...	2,403	4,662	7,065			
Estimated Population on 31st December, 1906 ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	292,609	242,504	535,113

* Including allowance for unrecorded arrivals.

† Including allowance for unrecorded departures.

− Excess of departures.

On the 1st January, 1906, the population was estimated at 528,048; to these, 1,315 persons were added during the first quarter, 4,629 between March and June, and 2,207 in the third quarter, so that the population on 30th September, 1906, was 536,199. During December quarter the excess of departures more than absorbed all the natural increase, so that there was a loss of population of 1,086 persons, making the population at the end of the year 535,113, as above stated, or a total increase during the year of 7,065. In connection with this it must be remembered that the official deportation of Pacific Islanders practically commenced during the last three months of 1906, and if coloured aliens be excluded from the calculation it is found that the increase in the number of persons of European extraction during the year was 9,863, from which, if the natural increase of this section of the community—namely, 9,076—be subtracted, the accessions to the population for 1906 amongst Europeans which is attributed to migration was 787. It has to be borne in mind that coloured aliens do not contribute to the natural increase, furnishing only 135 births last year against 287 deaths.

The centesimal ratio of increase last year in each State of Australasia is given in the following table:—

Aa.

Queensland	1·34	Western Australia	2·73
New South Wales	2·05	Tasmania	— 0·52
Victoria	1·10	New Zealand	2·98
South Australia	1·49		

— Decrease.

Tasmania was the only State showing a decrease. New Zealand recorded the largest increase—2·98 per cent.

In tabulating the population for the Federal States it is obviously necessary to adopt the figures accepted by the Commonwealth Statistician, which are those contained in the following table:—

Ab.

State.	Estimated Population, 31st December, 1906.			Proportion of each sex in each 100 of the Population.		Proportion per cent. of the Population of each Federal State to the total Population of the Commonwealth.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	
Queensland	292,609	242,504	535,113	54·68	45·32	12·99
New South Wales	814,139	712,558	1,526,697	53·33	46·67	37·06
Victoria	616,748	615,192	1,231,940	50·06	49·94	29·91
South Australia	203,499	180,330	383,829	53·02	46·98	9·32
Western Australia	153,652	108,094	261,746	58·70	41·30	6·35
Tasmania	92,898	87,258	180,156	51·57	48·43	4·37
Total Commonwealth ...	2,173,545	1,945,936	4,119,481	52·76	47·24	100·00
New Zealand	481,651	427,075	908,726	53·00	47·00	
Total Australasia	2,655,196	2,373,011	5,028,207	52·81	47·19	

This gives the population of Australasia at just over 5,000,000, and that for the Commonwealth at 4,119,481.

Of the total population of the federated States, New South Wales claimed 37 per cent., Victoria 30 per cent., or just over two-thirds of the whole between them. Queensland's proportion was 13 per cent. Of the lastnamed, in each 100 55 were males and 45 were females. In all the States the males exceeded the females, although in Victoria it was by a small fraction only. In Western Australia the ratios were 59 and 41 respectively.

In Queensland the disparity between the number of each sex was at one time considerably greater than at present, as will be seen from the following statement:—

Ac.

	Males to each 100 Persons.	Females to each 100 Persons.	Females to each 100 Males.
1880	58·71	41·29	70·32
1885	58·91	41·09	69·75
1890	56·93	43·07	75·65
1895	56·27	43·73	77·71
1900	55·63	44·37	79·77
1905	54·96	45·04	81·96
1906	54·68	45·32	82·88

In 1880 there were in the State 70 females to each 100 males; last year the proportion was 83, an increase equal to 19 per cent. Twenty-six years ago Queensland was, in this respect, in the same position as Western Australia is to-day.

The numerical and centesimal rates of increase in population by quinquennial periods since 1860 is shown in the following table:—

Ad.

SHOWING EXCESS of BIRTHS over DEATHS and of IMMIGRATION over EMIGRATION by SEA and OVERLAND by RAILWAY.—
RETURN from 1862 to 1906.

Period	Mean Population for Period.	EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS.				Centesimal proportion which the excess of Births over Deaths bears to the total Population increase.	EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION OVER EMIGRATION BY SEA AND OVERLAND BY RAILWAY.				Centesimal proportion which the excess of Immigration over Emigration bears to the total Population increase.	Total increase to Population to 31st December of last year of period.	Centesimal ratio of total increase to Population of last year of previous period.	Proportion of Females to each 100 Males in total increase.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Centesimal ratio to Population of last year of previous period.		Males.	Females.	Total.	Centesimal ratio to Population of last year of previous period.				
1862-1865 ...	60,460	2,062	3,025	5,087	14·80	9·88	28,880	17,542	46,422	135·08	90·12	*53,437	155·49	64·40
1866-1870 ...	103,012	5,739	7,571	13,310	15·16	49·05	9,804	4,019	13,823	15·74	50·95	*27,763	31·62	70·19
1871-1875 ...	143,467	6,704	9,706	16,410	14·20	26·06	33,661	12,850	46,511	40·25	73·94	*65,721	56·87	57·82
1876-1880 ...	204,445	7,960	12,291	20,251	11·17	37·12	23,384	10,914	34,298	18·92	62·88	*44,789	24·71	95·21
1881-1885 ...	268,719	7,986	15,262	23,248	10·28	20·78	57,200	31,414	88,614	39·20	79·22	*100,839	44·60	76·19
1886-1890 ...	375,253	17,872	24,238	42,110	12·88	41·96	36,111	22,138	58,249	17·82	58·04	*95,860	29·32	82·67
1891-1895 ...	427,792	20,525	25,757	46,282	10·95	75·46	11,361	3,692	15,053	3·56	24·54	*37,774	8·93	147·96
1896-1900 ...	487,319	17,724	24,037	41,761	9·07	67·33	14,968	5,294	20,262	4·40	32·67	*33,616	7·30	113·72
1901-1905 ...	515,381	16,628	22,910	39,538	8·00	116·69	\$-1,311	\$-4,345	\$-5,656	-1·14	-16·69	33,882	6·86	121·21
1906 ...	532,783	4,068	4,856	8,924	1·69	126·31	\$-1,665	\$-104	\$-1,859	-0·35	-26·31	7,065	1·34	194·01

* Figures adjusted after actual population ascertained by census.

‡ Including allowances for unrecorded arrivals and departures.

— Excess of departures.

This table shows to what extent the present position of Queensland with regard to population, and, therefore, largely with regard to material progress, is due to immigration. If columns 7 and 12 are read down in conjunction, it will be seen that during the four years 1862-5 90 per cent. of the population increase was derived from arrivals and 10 per cent. to natural increase. This was the largest of any group of years recorded in the table. During the quinquennium 1881-5, the ratios were 79 and 21 per cent., in 1871-5 they were 74 and 26 per cent., and so on. Coming to more recent years, the positions are found to be completely reversed, and from 1891 up to the present time the population accessions due to migration have been fractional only or, worse still, non-existent, and at times the balances between arrivals and departures have resulted in substantial inroads on the excess of births over deaths.

Of the two contributories to population, increase due to migration, which formerly occupied such an important position, has in recent years given place to natural increase. The following table furnishes information as to the arrivals at and departures from the State, as recorded by the Customs during 1906:—

B.

	Adults.			Children, 1 to 12 years.			Infants.			Total.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Female.	Persons.
Arrivals, 1906 ...	29,280	13,593	42,873	2,179	2,304	4,483	190	131	321	31,649	16,028	47,677
Departures, 1906 ...	29,681	13,471	43,152	2,193	2,067	4,260	178	123	301	32,052	15,661	47,713
Excess of Arrivals or } — Departures	—401	122	—279	—14	237	223	12	8	20	—403	367	—36

It will be observed that the departures exceeded the arrivals by 36, but that the female arrivals exceeded the female departures by 367.

Attention has already been drawn to the fact, which, however, it is perhaps well to reiterate, that the deportation of Pacific Islanders under special Federal statutory authority, has been responsible for this excess of departures. Practically the whole of the migration recorded is with the rest of the Commonwealth, for there are few facilities from this State for direct foreign passenger traffic. Of the

47,677 arrivals 45,601 were returned as coming from or through the Southern States, the like figures for departures being 43,395 out of 47,713. Details of the passenger traffic with the other Federal States are given in the following table:—

Ba.

Quarter.	By Sea or Railway.	ARRIVALS.									
		Brisbane.		Rockhampton.		Townsville.		Other Ports.		Total Arrivals.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
First ...	Sea ...	2,100	1,089	148	62	146	126	76	29	7,320	4,006
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,850	2,700		
Second ...	Sea ...	2,619	1,288	148	71	264	149	254	107	8,526	4,429
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,241	2,814		
Third ...	Sea ...	2,065	1,047	80	43	107	92	332	159	6,997	3,451
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,413	2,110		
Fourth...	Sea ...	1,889	1,057	93	47	121	73	205	77	7,237	3,635
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,929	2,381		
Year ...	Sea ...	8,673	4,481	469	223	638	440	867	372	30,080	15,521
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,433	10,005		
Grand Total ...	...	8,673	4,481	469	223	638	440	20,300	10,377	30,080	15,521

Quarter.	By Sea or Railway.	DEPARTURES.									
		Brisbane.		Rockhampton.		Townsville.		Other Ports.		Total Departures.	
		Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.
First ...	Sea ...	1,341	943	87	67	147	96	170	67	6,718	3,807
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,973	2,634		
Second ...	Sea ...	1,398	858	75	41	82	40	122	43	6,669	3,361
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,992	2,379		
Third ...	Sea ...	1,474	883	84	67	112	59	237	112	6,665	3,402
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,758	2,281		
Fourth...	Sea ...	2,189	1,276	164	106	143	174	318	149	8,223	4,550
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5,409	2,845		
Year ...	Sea ...	6,402	3,960	410	281	484	369	847	371	28,275	15,120
	Railway ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,132	10,139		
Grand Total ...	...	6,402	3,960	410	281	484	369	20,979	10,510	28,275	15,120

It will be noted on comparing the figures for the different quarters of the year that the tourist has assumed importance in the intercommunication. During the first quarter of the year the arrivals exceeded the departures, due, in a great measure, to the return of Queenslanders from their holidays in the Southern States. The like excesses in the second and third quarter are largely contributed to by the advent of Southern tourists on pleasure bent amidst the attractions of Queensland's scenery during the sunny winter months, thereby avoiding the less genial climate of their own homes. In the December quarter the flow sets the other way, residents of this State then proceeding to the South for the summer.

Two-thirds of the passengers now go by rail. The proportions of the rail to the total traffic for the last ten years were as follow:—

Bb.

1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.
40·59	36·85	38·28	48·30	53·87	50·78	52·47	64·53	66·45	67·09

It will be seen that persons travelling by this route during the past decade have increased 65 per cent.

Attention has already been drawn to the compulsory emigration of certain coloured aliens. The migration of this section of the community during 1906 was as follows:—

C.

Race.	Arrivals.			Departures.			Excess.	
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Arrivals.	Departures.
							Persons.	Persons.
Chinese ...	338	9	347	668	14	682	...	335
Pacific Islanders ...	310	4	314	2,334	104	2,438	...	2,124
Japanese ...	64	9	73	177	13	190	...	117
Natives of India and Ceylon (coloured) ...	98	...	98	282	1	283	...	185
Other Asiatic Races ...	379	1	380	254	11	265	115	...
Total ...	1,189	23	1,212	3,715	143	3,858	...	2,646

There were 1,212 coloured alien arrivals and 3,858 departures, or an excess of the latter of 2,646. The latter figure included 2,124 Pacific Islanders; Chinese decreased by 335, Japanese by 117, Hindoos and Cingalese by 185, whilst "Other Asiatic Races" increased by 115. The latter chiefly consisted of Papuans coming into the State at Thursday Island, probably for employment in connection with the pearling industry, in partial substitution for the departing Japanese.

Coloured Alien Population.

Coloured aliens at the end of 1906 comprised just under 3½ per cent. of the total population.

Ca.

ESTIMATED NUMBER and PROPORTION of MALES, FEMALES, and PERSONS of COLOURED ALIEN RACE in the POPULATION of QUEENSLAND on the 31st December, 1906.

	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Percentage to Total Estimated Population.
Estimated Chinese Population	8,302	603	8,905	1·66
„ Pacific Islanders Population	4,125	402	4,527	0·85
„ Japanese Population	1,748	135	1,883	0·35
„ Population of Coloured Natives of India and Ceylon ...	725	21	746	0·14
„ Other Asiatic Population	1,914	260	2,174	0·41
„ Population of all other Nationalities	275,795	241,083	516,878	96·59
Total Estimated Population of the State ...	292,609	242,504	535,113	100·00

Persons of European extraction comprised 96·59 per cent. of the population, Chinese 1·66, and all other coloured aliens together 1·75 per cent. The latter will be considerably reduced when the deportation of Pacific Islanders is completed. The ratios at stated periods since 1891 are shown in the following table:—

Cb.

	Census.	Estimated 31st December.	Estimated 31st December.	Estimated 31st December.	Estimated 31st December.	Estimated 31st December.
	1891.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.
Chinese	2·18	2·00	1·95	1·85	1·76	1·66
Pacific Islanders	2·39	1·73	1·66	1·51	1·28	0·85
Other Asiatics	0·47	1·01	0·98	0·99	0·94	0·90
European Extraction 94·96	95·26	95·41	95·65	96·02	96·59	
	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

Thus it will be seen that the proportion of coloured aliens has become reduced since 1891 from 5·04 to 3·41 per cent.

POPULATION IN FINANCIAL DIVISIONS.

This can only be reliably ascertained at each census, and intermediate estimates can only be framed on the basis of the ratios obtaining at the last enumeration. As the date of this recedes, the compilation naturally becomes less and less accurate:—

D.

	Northern Division.	Central Division.	Southern Division.	Total State.
Population, Census 1901—				
Number—				
Males	70,145	36,343	173,604	280,092
Females	40,812	27,576	154,786	223,174
Persons	110,957	63,919	328,390	503,266
Proportion, per cent.—				
Males to total Males	25·04	12·98	61·98	100·00
Females to total Females	18·29	12·35	69·36	100·00
Estimated Population, 31st December, 1906—				
Males	73,280	37,967	181,362	292,609
Females	44,347	29,964	168,193	242,504
Total Persons	117,627	67,931	349,555	535,113

As this information is frequently required for administrative purposes connected with finance, the computation is annually formulated.

Population—Metropolitan Area.

The population of greater Brisbane (10-mile radius) on 31st December, 1906, is estimated at 132,468 persons, of whom 65,574 were males and 66,894 were females.

The following statement furnishes further particulars:—

Da.							Males.	Females.	Persons.
City of Brisbane	...	...	...	...	...	...	19,409	19,381	38,790
City of South Brisbane	...	...	...	...	...	...	14,994	16,000	30,994
Suburbs	...	...	...	...	...	...	31,171	31,513	62,684
Brisbane Metropolitan Area (Ten-mile Radius)							65,574	66,894	132,468

The population of the two cities comprised in the area constituted rather more than half of the total for the metropolitan area.

Federal Effective Population.

The "effective" population is that population of a State that is taken into account in determining its representation in the House of Representatives as fixed by the Federal Constitution Act, 63-64 Vic., Chap. 12.

The following table furnishes information on this head:—

State.						Effective Population 31st December, 1906.	Quota.	Quotient and Remainder.		Number of Representatives.	
								Quotient.	Remainder.	Number as per Quota.	Statutory Number.
Queensland	...	...	...	...	...	516,878	56,833	9	5,381	9	9
New South Wales	...	...	...	...	...	1,526,697		26	49,039	27	27
Victoria	...	...	...	...	...	1,231,940		21	38,447	22	22
South Australia	...	...	...	...	...	381,499		6	40,501	7	7
Western Australia	...	...	...	...	...	254,800		4	27,468	4	5
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	...	180,156		3	9,657	3	5
Commonwealth	...	...	...	...	...	4,091,970	...	...	...	...	75

The quota being 56,833, it will be seen that Queensland would not, at the present time, be entitled to an additional member even were there admitted to the "effective" population those races now excluded under the 25th section of the Federal Constitution Act. The quota for each representative having risen from 55,596 in 1905 to 56,833 in 1906, the "Remainder" towards the half-quota of 28,416 which would entitle Queensland to another representative was 5,381 only.

MARRIAGES.

Full particulars respecting marriages celebrated in each district and by each denomination, &c., will be found in Tables Nos. VIII. to XI. in the Appendix. There were 3,588 marriages registered in 1906, the greatest number ever recorded in one year in the State, and exceeded the number in 1905 (3,173) by 415. There were thirteen districts in which the marriages celebrated numbered 100 or over, namely:—

E.

District.	Number.	District.	Number.
Brisbane	907	Ipswich	119
Kennedy	204	Cairns	114
Drayton and Toowoomba	169	Mackay	106
Townsville	132	Gympie	104
Enoggera	124	Bundaberg	103
Moreton West	120	Maryborough	100
Rockhampton	120		

The boundaries of the metropolitan district were altered last year; and, making allowance for this, the increase in 1906 over 1905 for Brisbane was 189. Of the remaining twelve districts shown in the statement ten recorded increases—Mackay, 41; Enoggera, 30; Ipswich, 29; Cairns, 14; Townsville, 12; Gympie, 8; West Moreton, 5; Toowoomba, 3; and Kennedy and Maryborough, 1 each. There were decreases in Bundaberg and Rockhampton of 24 and 8 respectively.

Marriage Rate.

The marriage rate for 1906—that is, the number of marriages to each 1,000 of the mean population—was the most satisfactory recorded since 1900, as may be seen from the following statement, which gives the rate for each year since the establishment of official registration:—

Ea.

Year.	Number of Marriages per 1,000 mean Population.	Year.	Number of Marriages per 1,000 mean Population.	Year.	Number of Marriages per 1,000 mean Population.
1857	8·2	1874	8·6	1891	7·1
1858	9·4	1875	8·6	1892	6·7
1859	9·3	1876	7·6	1893	5·9
1860	10·8	1877	7·6	1894	5·7
1861	10·2	1878	7·0	1895	6·2
1862	14·4	1879	7·5	1896	6·1
1863	14·5	1880	7·0	1897	6·0
1864	14·0	1881	7·7	1898	6·0
1865	13·3	1882	8·6	1899	6·8
1866	11·6	1883	8·9	1900	6·9
1867	9·5	1884	8·9	1901	6·6
1868	8·3	1885	8·9	1902	6·3
1869	8·3	1886	8·3	1903	5·7
1870	7·8	1887	8·2	1904	5·9
1871	8·1	1888	8·7	1905	6·04
1872	8·7	1889	7·9	1906	6·73
1873	9·6	1890	7·8		

The ratios for 1900 and the immediately preceding year were slightly better than those for last year. The rates during the sixties and the regular decline since illustrate how conjugal and age conditions and sex proportion operate with respect to marriage ratios. The following table gives the marriage rate for each State of Australasia for the past five years:—

Eb.

	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.
Queensland ...	6·31	5·72	5·93	6·04	6·73
New South Wales ...	7·53	6·86	7·21	7·42	7·63
Victoria ...	7·02	6·29	6·80	7·24	7·28
South Australia ...	6·55	6·21	6·85	6·94	7·05
Western Australia ...	9·77	9·33	8·83	8·48	8·70
Tasmania ...	7·47	7·57	7·55	7·61	7·74
New Zealand ...	8·01	8·23	8·26	8·28	8·48

The crude marriage rate, although affording a reasonably accurate method of measurement for the same country from year to year, the structural condition of the population remaining fairly constant is much less satisfactory for comparisons between different States where varying conjugal and age conditions and sex proportions obtain. The extent of this difference with respect to the Commonwealth States will be seen from the following table, giving the proportions to the total population of marriageable persons of each sex, as disclosed by the 1901 census:—

Ec.

	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Queensland ...	17·85	11·87	29·72
New South Wales ...	14·02	14·61	28·63
Victoria ...	18·34	17·60	35·94
South Australia ...	11·28	16·20	27·48
Western Australia ...	25·47	9·66	35·13
Tasmania ...	12·72	15·00	27·72

Thus, taking the total marriageable population into consideration, Queensland, New South Wales, South Australia, and Tasmania possessed nearly similar conditions as to conjugal condition and age; Victoria and Western Australia also agreeing with one another on these points, but differing materially from the other four. When the element of sex is considered, further variations are found. Of the four States first named, Queensland had a large excess of marriageable males, and South Australia and Tasmania of females; in New South Wales the sexes were about equally divided. As regards the two States which were in agreement as to conjugal and age conditions—namely, Victoria and Western Australia—in the former only was there an approximate equilibration of the sexes, all fair comparison being destroyed by a large preponderance of men in Western Australia. It has sometimes been held that the marriage rate is prone to be highest where marriageable males are in a majority. The Australian experience for 1906 hardly confirms this, for although in Western Australia, where the highest rate obtained, this condition certainly prevailed, yet Queensland, the State next in order in that respect, had the lowest rate but one in the Commonwealth, a rate but little in excess of South Australia, and considerably less than those of New South Wales and Tasmania, in all three of which marriageable women were actually in the ascendent.

Marriages by Denominations.

Of the 3,588 marriages which were recorded in 1906 the following table shows the number which were celebrated by ministers of each religious denomination, and also similar information for each of the preceding nine years:—

F.

Denomination.	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	Total Ten Years.
Church of England	787	794	904	910	921	883	741	789	779	877	8,385
Roman Catholic Church	617	595	722	689	678	645	589	619	616	767	6,537
Methodist	473	486	570	536	570	523	476	521	607	642	5,404
Presbyterian	419	437	553	469	439	445	441	444	427	487	4,561
Baptist	146	143	151	154	150	156	158	157	158	192	1,565
Lutheran	126	137	148	144	145	130	130	139	136	142	1,377
Congregational	87	79	122	139	104	122	104	104	107	109	1,077
Salvation Army	24	25	24	28	24	16	9	21	15	17	203
Other Christian Sects	15	30	46	59	75	93	84	124	139	169	834
Hebrew	1	1	2	5	2	...	1	1	1	3	17
By Registrars and Marrying Justices ...	199	245	207	238	233	230	200	159	188	183	2,082
Totals	2,894	2,972	3,449	3,371	3,341	3,243	2,933	3,078	3,173	3,588	32,042

Thus, clergy of the Church of England celebrated 877 marriages; Roman Catholics, 767; Methodists, 642; Presbyterians, 487; Baptists, 192; Lutheran, 142; and Congregational, 109. These figures were all above the averages for each denomination for the last ten years. The number of civil marriages is distinctly on the decline. The marriages contracted before registrars and justices in 1906 were 183 only; the average for the ten years being 208.

Specific denominational teaching sits lightly on many shoulders, judging from the relation between the number of those who at a census enumeration return themselves as belonging to the different denominations and the number of persons married according to the rites of the same. The following table gives information on this subject:—

Fa.

Proportion per cent. each Denomination to total—

	Population. Census, 1901.	Marriages, 1906.
Church of England	36·76	24·44
Roman Catholic Church	23·98	21·38
Methodist Church	9·25	17·89
Presbyterian Church	11·45	13·57
Lutheran Church	5·07	3·96
Baptist Church	2·43	5·35
Congregational Church	1·94	3·04

Thus, whilst members of the Church of England comprised at the last census 37 per cent. of the population—and the ratios on this point are not likely to have changed appreciably—only 24 per cent. of the marriages celebrated during 1906 were by ministers of that denomination. The like proportions for the Roman Catholic Church were 24 and 21 per cent. respectively. On the other hand, ministers of the Methodist Church celebrated nearly twice as many marriages as the number of its members in the population would lead one to anticipate. And the same position, only in a lesser degree, is found to obtain with regard to the Presbyterian denomination.

Birthplaces of Persons Married.

With the cessation of immigration and a numerous native population rapidly arriving at adult age, the latter naturally becomes an important contributor to the ranks of the newly married. Full particulars as to the birthplaces of husbands and wives married in 1906 will be found in the Appendix, Table No. X.

Of the 7,176 persons married last year 4,609—2,050 men and 2,559 women—were native-born Queenslanders. This is almost two-thirds of the total number of husbands and wives. The proportion of natives has risen from 7·20 in 1875 to 64·23 last year.

G.

1875.	1880.	1885.	1890.	1900.	1905.	1906.
7·20	13·77	19·63	25·98	49·38	61·57	64·23

Persons born in England and Wales—891—were the next largest contributors, followed by “Other Australian States,” 714; Ireland, 323; Scotland, 219; and Germany, 123. There were 78 persons of “Coloured Alien Race” married in 1906, of whom 55 were males and 23 females. Of the 55 males, 13 were married to women of European extraction, and of the 23 females none were married to husbands of the white race.

Age and Conjugal Condition of Persons Married.

Appendix Table No. XI. gives detailed information as to the ages of both husbands and wives married during 1906. A summary of this table is furnished in the following statement:—

H.

HUSBANDS.

Ages of Husbands.	No. of Husbands at each Age Group.	MARRIED TO WIVES —										
		YOUNGER THAN THEMSELVES.					Same Age as themselves.	OLDER THAN THEMSELVES.				
		By 5 and more years.	By 4 years.	By 3 years.	By 2 years.	By 1 year.		By 1 year.	By 2 years.	By 3 years.	By 4 years.	By 5 and more years.
Under 21 years	122	2	3	4	10	23	21	19	13	14	4	9
21 to 25 years	1,260	224	150	151	162	155	166	79	58	35	19	61
26 to 30 „	1,095	550	96	87	85	71	73	37	29	20	12	35
31 to 35 „	549	409	27	22	18	17	12	11	8	6	6	13
36 to 40 „	309	257	8	9	8	6	4	3	5	1	1	7
41 to 45 „	118	96	1	1	2	3	3	1	5	1	1	4
46 to 50 „	61	49	1	...	5	...	1	3	1	...	...	1
Upwards of 50 years	74	62	3	...	...	3	3	1	...	1	...	1
Totals	3,588	1,649	289	274	290	278	283	154	119	78	43	131

WIVES.

Age of Wives.	No. of Wives at each Age Group.	MARRIED TO HUSBANDS—										
		YOUNGER THAN THEMSELVES.					Same Age as themselves.	OLDER THAN THEMSELVES.				
		By 5 and more years.	By 4 years.	By 3 years.	By 2 years.	By 1 year.		By 1 year.	By 2 years.	By 3 years.	By 4 years.	By 5 and more years.
Under 21 years	937	...	...	2	...	7	21	49	70	89	102	597
21 to 25 years	1,553	3	5	28	50	79	166	145	146	134	139	658
26 to 30 „	676	41	22	30	36	44	73	61	53	35	34	247
31 to 35 „	211	33	8	12	20	14	12	13	9	12	8	70
36 to 40 „	107	31	6	4	5	5	4	5	6	4	2	35
41 to 45 „	46	10	1	...	6	1	3	2	2	...	...	21
46 to 50 „	32	8	1	1	1	3	1	...	4	...	3	10
Upwards of 50 years	26	5	...	1	1	1	3	3	...	...	1	11
Totals	3,588	131	43	78	119	154	283	278	290	274	289	1,649

Of the 3,588 men married 122 were returned as under the age of 21 years, 2,355 as between that age and 31 years, and 858 between 31 and 40. Husbands over the latter age numbered 253, and 8 of these had passed their 70th year—namely, 1 of 70; 2 of 71; 2 of 73; and 1 each 75, 76, and 84. There were 283 husbands who selected wives of the same age as themselves, and 525, or 15 per cent., selected partners of even greater age; nor was this phase confined to the quite young men, the proportions at the different age groups being—under 21, 48 per cent.; 21 to 30, 16 per cent.; 31 to 40, 7 per cent.; 41 and upwards, 8 per cent.

Of the 3,588 wives, 937 were recorded as being under 21 years of age; 1,553 between 21 and 25; 676 of 26 to 30; 211 of 31 to 35; and 107 of 36 to 40; and 104 being above the latter age. Evidently no woman, on account of her age, need despair of securing a husband, as 11 were married after attaining their 60th year; 2 of them over 70, 1 having attained the mature age of 75 years. The instances of greatest disparity were those in which husbands of 49, 54, and 64 respectively married girls of 15, 17, and 21, and wives of 47 and 43 married young men of 22 and 24.

The mean age at marriage taken for quinquennial periods since 1881 is shown in the following table:—

Ha.

	All Husbands.	Bachelors.	All Wives.	Spinsters.
1881-1885, Average of Means ...	28·22	...	23·29	...
1886-1890, „ „ „ ...	27·52	...	23·23	...
1891-1895, „ „ „ ...	28·38	...	23·69	...
1896-1900, „ „ „ ...	28·91	27·79	24·22	23·22
1901-1905, „ „ „ ...	29·15	28·07	24·43	23·39
1906 „ „ „ ...	29·03	27·98	24·32	23·39

The figures show for the twenty-six years a slight increase, more pronounced with regard to all than to first marriages. Husbands on an average are about five years older than their wives. The mean age of persons married for the first time is about one year below that for all marriages.

The previous conjugal condition of husbands and wives, the number and proportion of the different kinds and their apportionment each to each are shown in the following table:—

Hb.

Amongst Marriages of—	1906.			
	Numbers Married.	Proportion Per Cent. to Total Marriages.	THE MEAN AGES AT MARRIAGE WERE—	
			Husbands.	Wives.
Bachelors to Spinsters	3,206	89·35	27·64	23·13
Bachelors to Widows	148	4·12	35·05	36·00
Bachelors to Divorced Women	7	0·20	32·57	32·57
Widowers to Spinsters	159	4·43	41·13	28·45
Widowers to Widows	66	1·84	53·30	44·89
Widowers to Divorced Women ... ..	...	...	...	...
Divorced Men to Spinsters	2	0·06	36·50	26·00
Divorced Men to Widows ... ..	...	...	...	...
Divorced Men to Divorced Women ... ..	...	...	...	...
Of all Males Married—Bachelors	3,361	93·67	27·98	...
Widowers	225	6·27	44·70	...
Divorced Men	2	0·06	36·50	...
Of all Females Married—Spinsters	3,367	93·84	...	23·39
Widows	214	5·96	...	38·74
Divorced Women	7	0·20	...	32·57
TOTAL PERSONS MARRIED	7,176	200·00	29·03	24·32

Of all men married 3,361, or 94 per cent., were bachelors, and of these 3,206 married spinsters, 148 married widows, and 7 married divorced women. Of the 225 husbands who were widowers, 159 married spinsters and 66 married widows. Two divorced men both married spinsters. The mean age of all widowers remarried during 1906 was 45 years, and of all widows 39 years.

There were 12 dissolutions of marriage granted by the Supreme Court during 1906, thus furnishing 24 persons capable of being remarried. During the same period 9 persons—2 men and 7 women—were described as divorced at the time of marriage. Of course, there is not necessarily any connection between these figures, still, even after making every allowance for divorcees who either enter or leave the State, taken over a series of years, some relation must exist between divorces and the remarriage of divorced persons.

Hc.

	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.
Dissolutions	6	7	10	12	14	6	8	13	4	12
Marriage of Divorcees	3	7	13	15	21	14	12	9	8	9

During the ten years ended with 1906 there were 184 persons divorced in Queensland, and 111 divorcees remarried. The ratio for such remarriages to dissolutions granted was for 1906 a very low one.

Signature at Marriage by Mark.

The figures in the following table show crudely the advance in elementary education during the last thirty years:—

I.

Year.	Number of Persons in each Year who signed Marriage Certificate with a Mark.				Proportion to each 100.				
	Males.		Females.		Marriages.		Persons Married.		
					Males.	Females.	Persons.		
1875 ...	135	...	267	...	9·08	17·96	...	13·52	
1880 ...	90	...	187	...	5·82	12·09	...	8·95	
1885 ...	107	...	209	...	3·76	7·35	...	5·56	
1890 ...	94	...	115	...	2·94	3·60	...	3·27	
1895 ...	82	...	76	...	2·90	2·69	...	2·80	
1900 ...	58	...	88	...	1·72	2·61	...	2·17	
1905 ...	44	...	44	...	1·39	1·39	...	1·39	
1906 ...	62	...	58	...	1·73	1·62	...	1·67	

Of the 120 persons who signed their marriage certificate by mark last year 62 were men and 58 were women, the proportions to each 100 marriages being 1·73 for the former and 1·62 for the latter. Of the 120, however, 61, or just over half, were aboriginals or coloured aliens, so that the measure of complete illiteracy amongst persons of European extraction would be considerably below 1 per cent.

BIRTHS.

Although 1906 witnessed a substantial increase in the number of births registered over the figures of the previous year, yet the record was by no means too satisfactory, as it was below that of each of five of the preceding ten years.

J.

Increase or —Decrease on Previous Year.				Increase or —Decrease on Previous Year.			
Year.	Births.	Numerical.	Centesimal.	Year.	Births.	Numerical.	Centesimal.
1897 ...	14,313	296	2·11	1902 ...	14,216	—87	—0·61
1898 ...	13,933	—380	—2·65	1903 ...	12,621	—1,595	—11·22
1899 ...	13,899	—34	—0·24	1904 ...	14,082	1,461	11·58
1900 ...	14,801	902	6·49	1905 ...	13,626	—456	—3·24
1901 ...	14,303	—498	—3·36	1906 ...	14,019	393	2·88

Thus, there were more births registered in 1897 than in 1906.
The fullest details as to births recorded in each registry district of the State are furnished in Appendix, Table No. VII. The following statement summarises the results for the past two years with respect to districts in which not less than 250 births were registered during 1906:—

Ja.

BIRTHS, 1905 AND 1906.

Registry District.	1905.			1906.			Total Increase or —Decrease in the latter Year.	Females born to every 100 Males born in 1905.	Females born to every 100 Males born in 1906.
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.			
Brisbane ...	908	858	1,766	1,227	1,088	2,315	549	94·99	88·67
Bundaberg ...	178	211	389	234	191	425	36	118·54	81·62
Burnett ...	134	114	248	142	142	284	36	85·07	100·00
Caboolture ...	110	115	225	134	128	262	37	104·55	95·52
Cairns ...	123	116	239	151	150	301	62	94·31	99·34
Darling Downs Central ...	185	144	329	185	150	335	6	77·84	81·08
Drayton and Toowoomba ...	318	313	631	341	318	659	28	98·42	93·26
Enoggera ...	311	304	615	343	310	653	38	97·75	90·38
Gympie ...	260	268	528	264	247	511	—17	103·08	93·56
Ipswich ...	208	200	408	213	188	401	—7	96·15	88·26
Kennedy ...	432	399	831	399	373	772	—59	92·36	93·48
Logan ...	128	129	257	160	158	318	61	100·78	98·75
Mackay ...	162	142	304	172	151	323	19	87·65	87·79
Maranoa ...	116	103	219	139	121	260	41	88·79	87·05
Maryborough ...	164	187	351	204	192	396	45	114·02	94·12
Moreton West ...	345	343	688	349	340	689	1	99·42	97·42
Mount Morgan ...	168	152	320	194	195	389	69	90·48	100·52
Rockhampton ...	282	269	551	279	239	518	—33	95·39	85·66
Townsville ...	216	223	439	243	195	438	—1	103·24	80·25
Other Districts ...	2,230	2,058	4,288	1,907	1,863	3,770	—518	92·29	97·69
Totals ...	6,978	6,648	13,626	7,280	6,739	14,019	393	95·27	92·57

N.B.—The area of the Brisbane Registry District was extended during 1906.
In 14 out of the 19 districts increases were recorded. Passing Brisbane, where the large increase of 549 births was chiefly due to an enlargement of the boundaries of that district, the most important increase—69—was at Mount Morgan, followed by Cairns, 62; Logan, 61. The only decrease exceeding 50 was at Charters Towers (Kennedy), with 59. In 1905 the female exceeded the male births in 6 districts, and in 1906 in 1 district only, the ratios of female to male births for the whole State being—1905 95·27, and 1906 92·57, the lowest recorded since 1870. The proportions for each of the last ten years were as follow:—

Jb.

Females born to every 100 males born.				Females born to every 100 males born.			
1897 ...	...	96·69		1902 ...	...	95·30	
1898 ...	...	96·71		1903 ...	...	96·37	
1899 ...	...	94·99		1904 ...	...	97·39	
1900 ...	...	94·78		1905 ...	...	95·27	
1901 ...	...	96·44		1906 ...	...	92·57	

The highest proportion of females during the ten years was 97·39 in 1904; this has only been exceeded on five occasions since 1884, when the births for the first time exceeded 10,000 in number.

Birth Rate.

The birth rates at quinquennial periods since 1860 were as follow:—

K.

1860 ...	47·9	1880 ...	36·9	1900 ...	30·2
1865 ...	43·6	1885 ...	36·7	1905 ...	25·9
1870 ...	43·5	1890 ...	37·2	1906 ...	26·3
1875 ...	37·5	1895 ...	32·8		

It will be seen that the rate for 1906 was better than that for 1905 by 0·4 per 1,000, not a great improvement truly, but sufficient to justify a hope that the decline which has taken place during the past few years of financial stress has stopped.

The influence of coloured aliens in the population is against both birth and death rates. As regards the former, when the following record of births is considered in conjunction with the population numbers of this section of the community, the statement will be readily realised:—

Ka.

	Males.		Females.		Persons.
Chinese	26	...	21	...	47
Pacific Islanders	12	...	12	...	24
Japanese	7	...	6	...	13
Natives of India and Ceylon	3	...	1	...	4
Other Asiatics	25	...	22	...	47
Totals	73	...	62	...	135

Contributing 135 births from a population of 19,634, their birth rate is 7 per 1,000 only, against 26·31 of the total population. The effect of the presence of coloured aliens on the general birth rate will be better understood from the following table:—

Kb.

Year.	Birth Rate Crude.				Birth Rate on the basis of excluding Coloured Aliens from the calculation.			
1897	29·92	...	...	...	31·12	...	...	...
1898	28·28	...	...	...	29·46	...	...	...
1899	27·31	...	...	...	28·60	...	...	...
1900	30·19	...	...	...	31·60	...	...	...
1901	28·28	...	...	...	29·93	...	...	...
1902	27·68	...	...	...	29·28	...	...	...
1903	24·62	...	...	...	25·59	...	...	...
1904	27·12	...	...	...	28·12	...	...	...
1905	25·92	...	...	...	26·86	...	...	...
1906	26·31	...	...	...	27·06	...	...	...

The birth rate of Queensland compares somewhat unfavourably with the rest of Australasia.

Kc.

	Birth Rate, 1902.	Birth Rate, 1903.	Birth Rate, 1904.	Birth Rate, 1905.	Birth Rate, 1906.	Average of the rates for the quinquennial period.
Queensland	27·68	24·62	27·12	25·92	26·31	26·33
New South Wales	27·17	25·28	26·73	26·72	27·04	26·59
Victoria	25·23	24·46	24·65	24·83	25·14	24·86
South Australia	24·60	23·24	24·70	23·66	23·54	23·95
Western Australia	30·09	30·27	30·34	30·30	30·02	30·20
Tasmania	28·95	28·61	29·59	29·32	29·52	29·20
New Zealand	25·89	26·61	26·94	27·22	27·08	26·75

The rate for this State was above those for South Australia and Victoria, but below the rates for all the other States, being slightly exceeded by New South Wales and New Zealand, and very considerably by Tasmania and Western Australia. In the latter, young adults are still abnormally in the ascendant.

The average number of children to each marriage is slightly over 4, and has declined pronouncedly during the last fifteen years, as is shown by the following table:—

Kd.

1890	4·69	1905	4·12
1895	5·65	1906	4·08
1900	4·02		

This shows at quinquennial periods the approximate number of children to each marriage, computed crudely by dividing the marriage of one year into the legitimate births of the following year. A more satisfactory method of estimating the measure of a people's fecundity is by comparing the number of births with the number of women of a child-bearing age. Such a comparison, covering a wide period, is afforded by the following table:—

Ke.

Census Year.	FEMALES 15 YEARS TO 45 YEARS OF AGE.		BIRTHS.		BIRTHS PER 1,000.		
	Married.	Unmarried.	Legitimate.	Illegitimate.	Legitimate Births to Married Females 15 years to 45 years of age.	Illegitimate Births to Unmarried Females 15 years to 45 years of age.	Total Births to all Females 15 years to 45 years of age.
1861	5,788		...	...	...	...	245·85
1871	15,502	6,830	5,074	131	327·31	19·18	233·07
1881	24,178	15,441	7,875	345	325·71	22·34	207·48
1891	44,537	34,607	14,031	684	315·04	19·76	185·93
1901	53,617	50,561	13,455	848	250·95	16·77	137·29

For obvious reasons such a table can only be compiled for census years; the great decline shown by the figures in the sixth and eighth column is very apparent.

Illegitimate Births.

There were 1,076 illegitimate births recorded last year.

L.

					Males.		Females.		Persons.
First Quarter	...	...	...	...	94	...	120	...	214
Second Quarter	...	...	...	...	161	...	137	...	298
Third Quarter	...	...	...	...	156	...	138	...	294
Fourth Quarter	...	...	...	...	138	...	132	...	270
Total	...	...	...	...	549	...	527	...	1,076

The ratio of such births to the total births has increased each year since 1901.

La.

1897	...	6.02	1901	...	5.93	1904	...	6.90
1898	...	6.04	1902	...	6.04	1905	...	6.97
1899	...	5.97	1903	...	6.79	1906	...	7.68
1900	...	6.40						

The proportion of 7.68 per cent. experienced during 1906 is the highest ever recorded in Queensland. The operation of "*The Infant Life Protection Act of 1905*" has no doubt helped to contribute to this result, by preventing the false registration of some illegitimate children as if they were legitimate, the records of previous years being in that particular to a corresponding extent defective.

The following table compares the ratio of bastardy in each of the Australian States:—

Lb.

		Per Cent. to Total Births.			Per Cent. to Total Births.
Queensland	...	7.68	Western Australia	...	4.78
New South Wales	...	7.04	Tasmania	...	5.78
Victoria	...	5.58	New Zealand	...	4.67
South Australia...	...	4.00			

From which it will be seen that Queensland suffers considerably by the comparison.

Multiple Births.

During 1906 there were 157 cases of double confinement, comprising 176 males and 138 females, making 314 twin births.

Lc.

						Males.	Females.
First Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	41	35
Second Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	44	30
Third Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	47	43
Fourth Quarter	...	...	...	...	...	44	30
						176	138

There were 76 twin children born in the first quarter of the year, 74 in the second, 90 in the third, and 74 in the fourth. In addition to the foregoing there were two cases of triple birth; all the six children were female. One case was at Gympie and one at Clermont.

DEATHS.

The experience for the year 1906 was, with regard to mortality statistics, the most favourable on record. The number of deaths registered—5,095—being the fewest in the State since 1883, and the death rate—i.e., the proportion borne by the deaths to each 1,000 of the mean population—were the lowest ever recorded. The following table shows the number of deaths and the death rate for each of the last ten years:—

M.

YEAR.	DEATHS.					
	Total Number.			Proportion of Total Deaths per 1,000 of Mean Population.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
1897
1898
1899
1900
1901
1902
1903
1904
1905
1906

Of the 5,095 persons who died in 1906, there were 3,212 males and 1,883 females, these figures giving ratios per 1,000 of the mean male and female population respectively of 10.99 and 7.83, showing the greatly increased risk of loss of life obtaining amongst males.

The deaths in 1905 numbered 5,503, or a decrease in 1906 of 408 persons.

The foregoing figures, of course, deal with the total population, including coloured aliens. These once more operate adversely on the experiences affecting vital statistics, and to what extent as to the mortality will be seen from the following table:—

Ma.

					Estimated Mean Population.	Number of Deaths.	Death Rate.
Chinese	...	...	...	...	9,096	95	10·44
Pacific Islanders	...	...	...	...	5,641	128	22·69
Japanese	...	...	...	...	1,950	30	15·38
Coloured Natives of India and Ceylon	...	...	...	...	843	12	14·23
Other Asiatic Races	...	...	...	...	2,104	22	10·46
Total Coloured Aliens					19,634	287	14·62
All Persons, exclusive of Chinese, Pacific Islanders, other Asiatic Races					513,149	4,808	9·37
All Persons					532,783	5,095	9·56

Thus, while the total death rate was 9·56, that of European extraction was only 9·37, the greatly increased mortality amongst the coloured races—although these only comprised about 4 per cent. of the population—causing the difference. The death rate per 1,000 coloured aliens was 14·62; that amongst Pacific Islanders being as high as 22·69.

The Queensland death rate for 1906 was lower than that for any other State of the Commonwealth.

The following table compares the death rates of each State for the past five years:—

Mb.

				Rate in 1902.	Rate in 1903.	Rate in 1904.	Rate in 1905.	Rate in 1906.	Average of the Rates for the Quin- quennial Period.
Queensland	...	...	...	12·08	12·38	10·11	10·47	9·56	10·92
New South Wales	...	...	...	11·95	11·59	10·62	10·13	9·89	10·84
Victoria	...	...	...	13·40	12·90	11·92	12·10	12·42	12·55
South Australia	...	...	...	11·86	10·79	10·22	10·15	10·34	10·67
Western Australia	...	...	...	13·63	12·60	11·91	10·83	11·87	12·17
Tasmania	...	...	...	10·90	11·92	11·04	10·13	11·13	11·02
New Zealand	...	...	...	10·50	10·40	9·57	9·27	9·31	9·81

On the average of the rates for the five years the Queensland rate slightly exceeds those for South Australia and New South Wales, the mortality in 1902 and 1903 being more favourable in both those States. The Victorian experience throughout is—with one slight exception—the least satisfactory of that for any State. The death rate for 1906 was 12·42, and the average for the five years 12·55.

Deaths by Districts and Months.

Appendix Table No. XIII. gives full particulars on these heads. The following statement shows the number of deaths registered in each quarter of the year:—

N.

					Males.	Females.	Persons.
First Quarter	...	...	...	...	905	505	1,410
Second Quarter	747	438	1,185
Third Quarter	769	485	1,254
Fourth Quarter	791	455	1,246
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Totals	3,212	1,883	5,095

The three first months of the year proved the least healthy, 1,410 deaths being recorded during the period. The fewest deaths—1,185—were registered in the second quarter. The heavy mortality in January and March—namely, 532 and 485 respectively—was responsible for the first quarter's large number of registrations, February records being below those for every month except December and June. Of the 5,095 deaths, 1,238, or 24 per cent., were registered in Brisbane. Other districts in which the deaths numbered at least 150 were—Kennedy, 249; Drayton and Toowoomba, 216; Townsville, 213; Rockhampton, 207; Bundaberg, 170; and Cairns and Enoggera each 162.

Birthplaces of Persons who Died.

Full particulars on this head will be found at Table No. XV. in the Appendix. The following statement contains a summary of such particulars, and compares the deaths with the population numbers relating to each country of birth:—

O.

						Centesimal Proportion to Total Population borne by each Nationality, Census of 1901. Proportion.	Number and Centesimal Proportion to Total Deaths borne by Deaths of each Nationality, Year 1906. Number.	Proportion.
Queensland ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	57·09	2,131	41·83
Other Australasian States, including New Zealand						8·16	339	6·65
England ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	13·77	973	19·10
Scotland ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	4·00	310	6·08
Ireland ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	7·56	683	13·40
Other British Possessions ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·82	32	0·63
Germany ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	2·64	198	3·89
Other Countries of Europe...	...	...	...	...	...	1·59	114	2·24
China ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1·70	95	1·86
Pacific Islands ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1·77	128	2·51
Elsewhere ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	0·90	92	1·81
						100·00	5,095	100·00

Of the total deaths 2,131, or 42 per cent., were of persons born in Queensland. The proportion of Queensland born in the population was approximately 57. Other Australian States contributed 7 per cent. of the deaths and 8 per cent. of the population; England, 19 and 14 per cent. respectively; Scotland, 6 and 4 per cent.; and Ireland, 13 and 8 per cent.

Occupations of Persons who Died.

Information as to the occupations of persons who died during 1906 will be found in Table No. XVI. in the Appendix. The death certificates—the documents from which these particulars are obtained—are frequently defective on this point; especially is this the case with certificates relating to females, so that the compilation is to this extent incomplete. The numbers of persons of each class of occupation who died during the last five years were as follow:—

P.

CLASSES.				YEARS.									
				1902.		1903.		1904.		1905.		1906.	
				M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Class I.—Professional ... ..	...	...	...	116	24	97	21	103	16	104	15	100	11
„ II.—Domestic ... ..	...	...	...	118	146	82	154	84	148	81	171	92	139
„ III.—Commercial ... ..	...	...	...	240	9	213	8	193	5	211	5	198	8
„ IV.—Transport and Communication				195	1	180	...	163	...	168	...	134	2
„ V.—Industrial ... ..	...	...	...	700	36	671	19	564	20	666	23	651	21
„ VI.—Agricultural, &c. ... ..	...	...	...	1,136	12	1,066	14	915	7	951	8	863	9
„ VII.—Indefinite ... ..	...	...	...	85	55	96	137	82	81	102	131	63	107
„ VIII.—Dependants ... ..	...	...	...	1,334	1,997	1,546	2,042	1,155	1,714	1,216	1,651	1,111	1,586
Totals ... ..	...	...	...	3,924	2,280	3,951	2,395	3,259	1,991	3,499	2,004	3,212	1,883
				6,204		6,346		5,250		5,503		5,095	

Amongst males in 1906, every class showed a decrease on 1905, except that which relates to domestic service. The incompleteness of the figures respecting females is at once seen. It will be at once evident, when the large number of women following commercial pursuits is considered, that more than 8 of such must have died throughout Queensland in 1906. Relatives of young women when they die frequently return their occupation as “domestic duties,” thereby implying the abstaining from any definite employment, although prior to their last illness they may have been wage-earners.

Mortality of the Metropolitan Area.

The following table shows the population, the deaths, and the death rate for greater Brisbane:—

Pa.

						Estimated Mean Population.	Total Deaths.	Rate per 1,000.
City of Brisbane ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	38,440	689	{ *17·92 8·49 5·83
City of South Brisbane ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	30,756	261	
Suburbs ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	61,906	361	
Brisbane Metropolitan Area (Ten-mile Radius)...						131,102	1,311	10·00
State ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	532,783	5,095	9·56

* The General and Children's Hospitals are in the City of Brisbane.

The deaths within the 10-mile radius numbered 1,311, or nearly 26 per cent., of the total deaths of the State. The death rate of 10·00 per 1,000 is an exceedingly favourable one, being only 0·44 per 1,000 greater than for the whole of Queensland. This rate, moreover, is augmented by deaths in the various public institutions, a considerable number of which are of persons coming from outside the area, and, therefore, not belonging to its population. This circumstance also explains the varying rates found to obtain in component parts of the metropolitan area shown in the table.

Of the 1,311 deaths which took place within greater Brisbane, 429, or 33 per cent., were contributed by inmates of hospitals and other kindred institutions.

	Pb.												
	1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.			
										Males.	Females.	Persons.	
Brisbane Hospital ...	224	286	237	211	271	305	284	261	300	166	91	257	
Lady Bowen Hospital ...	9	13	7	19	14	17	20	19	7	5	5	10	
Children's Hospital ...	70	66	67	60	78	59	103	69	82	45	39	84	
Brisbane Plague Hospital†	...	...	...	...	6	8	5	3	5	3	...	3	
Diamantina Orphanage	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hosptl. for Chronic Diseases†...	...	...	...	...	7	22	41	38	58	35	8	43	
Lady Lamington Hospital†	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	2	3	...	...	...
Infants' Asylum ...	4	9	4	12	...	...	18	2	2	6	3	9	
Immigration Depôt ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Lunatic Reception House	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Brisbane Gaol ...	1	1	...	1	5	1	3	...	2	2	...	2	
Magdalen Asylum†	...	...	...	...	5	...	10	4	12	9	12	21	
Brisbane Suspect Hospital‡	...	...	...	...	...	4	5	...	...	...	...	...
Industrial Home	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Totals	...	311	376	316	304	388	419	491	399	474	271	158	429
† Appearing for the first time in 1901.					‡ Appearing for the first time in 1902.								

There were last year 257 deaths at the General Hospital, 84 at the Hospital for Children, and 10 at the Lady Bowen Hospital, all of which are in the city of Brisbane. There were also 43 deaths recorded from the Hospital for Chronic Diseases, which is situated within the city of South Brisbane.

The information contained in the following table is perhaps hardly within the scope of this report, but is inserted as containing particulars of interest which are not entirely foreign to mortality statistics :—

Pc.

Where Situated.	Number of In-patients.	Number of In-patient Days.	Cost of Administration and Management for In-patients.	Cost of each In-patient per Day.	HOSPITAL STAFF.									
					PAID.						HONORARY.			
					Medical.		Nursing.		Other.		Committee.		Medical.	
					M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
Brisbane	3,627	79,458	£ 14,468	s. 3 7½	4	...	4	67	42	28	7	3	18	...
„ Children's ...	1,372	32,252	£ 4,068	s. 2 6½	...	1	...	30	1	9	5	12	12	1
Bundaberg	517	11,285	£ 2,038	s. 3 7½	1	...	1	7	1	3	15	...	3	...
Charters Towers...	970	28,813	£ 5,142	s. 3 6½	1	...	2	15	4	7	15	...	4	...
Ipswich	598	17,389	£ 2,953	s. 3 4½	1	...	...	13	5	7	9	...	...	...
Mackay	716	14,320	£ 2,244	s. 3 1½	1	...	1	8	1	4	...	...	1	...
Maryborough ...	446	7,869	£ 1,905	s. 4 10	1	...	...	8	4	7	10	...	4	...
Mount Morgan ...	624	25,066	£ 3,567	s. 2 19½	2	...	...	10	5	5	9	...	3	...
Rockhampton ...	616	19,537	£ 3,329	s. 3 5	1	...	4	13	7	4	16	...	4	...
Toowoomba	952	22,294	£ 3,644	s. 3 3½	2	...	...	16	7	11	8	...	6	...
Townsville	737	18,193	£ 3,291	s. 3 7½	1	...	...	12	7	7	15	...	...	...
Warwick	433	8,767	£ 1,663	s. 3 9½	1	...	...	8	1	4	7	...	2	...

The cost of each in-patient per diem at Maryborough was 4s. 10d., exceeding the next highest—Warwick, 3s. 9½d.—by 1s. 0½d.

DEATHS BY AGES.

Infant Mortality.

It is satisfactory to note that the very favourable condition obtaining in 1906 with regard to general mortality was largely due to the improved condition respecting the deaths of the very young. The true infantile mortality—that is, the ratio of deaths of children under 1 year to each 100 of the total births—was for 1906 the lowest ever recorded. The proportion of such deaths for each of the last ten years was as follows :—

Q.										
SHOWING TRUE INFANTILE MORTALITY.—RETURN FOR TEN YEARS 1897-1906.										
1897.	1898.	1899.	1900.	1901.	1902.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.	Mean for the 10 years.
9·46	11·05	10·94	9·84	10·19	10·02	11·99	7·61	7·55	7·47	9·59

The very low rates of the last three years are very noticeable — 1904, 7·61; 1905, 7·55; 1906, 7·47. The mean rate for the ten years was 9·59, whilst the mean rate for the last three years of the same decennium was more than 2 per cent. better than that proportion. The highest rate for any year of the ten was that for 1903—namely, 11·99.

If the investigation is carried still further back, and over a more extended period, so as to eliminate the fluctuations which invariably occur in this experience of single years, the improvement is still more manifest.

Qa.

1875	...	...	12·46	1895	...	...	11·07
1880	...	...	12·98	1900	...	...	10·31
1885	...	...	13·64	1905	...	...	9·89
1890	...	...	12·65	1906	...	...	9·59

Taking the mean of the preceding ten years' experience at quinquennial periods, as is done in the foregoing table, it is found that between the twenty years 1885 to 1905 the ratio of deaths of infants fell from 13·64 to 9·89, a proportional drop of 27·5 per cent.

Low as was the ratio of true infantile mortality in Queensland during 1906, the like ratios for New Zealand and New South Wales were still lower.

Qb.

							1906.
Queensland	...	...	...	...	...	...	7·47
New South Wales	...	...	...	...	...	...	7·45
Victoria	...	...	...	...	...	...	9·29
South Australia	...	...	...	...	...	...	7·59
Western Australia	...	...	...	...	...	...	11·00
Tasmania	...	...	...	...	...	...	9·02
New Zealand	...	...	...	...	...	...	6·21

New Zealand's experience exhibited the extraordinarily low rate of 6·21 to each 100 births, that for New South Wales being 7·45, or two one-hundredths per cent. below that of Queensland.

Although the first is the most precarious year of life, yet the special liability to death which attends infant life extends well into the second year.

The following table is designed to show the deaths and their ratio to the approximate population in the chief towns of the State:—

Qc.

Registry District.	Number of Deaths in District.	CHILDREN UNDER 2 YEARS OF AGE.			CHILDREN UNDER 5 YEARS OF AGE.		
		Census 1901— Centesimal Ratio of Children under 2 years of age to Population of Dis- trict.	Number of Deaths in District.	Proportion per cent. to Total Deaths in District.	Census 1901— Centesimal Ratio of Children under 5 years of age to Population of Dis- trict.	Number of Deaths in District.	Proportion per cent. to Total Deaths in District.
Brisbane ...	1,238	4·35	239	19·31	10·61	272	21·97
Bundaberg ...	170	5·49	56	32·94	13·61	59	34·71
Drayton and Toowoomba ...	216	4·67	60	27·78	11·73	63	29·17
Enoggera ...	162	5·49	75	46·30	13·40	77	47·53
Gympie ...	147	5·58	39	26·53	13·66	43	29·25
Ipswich ...	142	4·96	24	16·90	12·63	28	19·72
Kennedy* ...	249	5·52	59	23·69	13·58	67	26·91
Mackay ...	139	4·49	27	19·42	11·61	33	23·74
Maryborough ...	100	5·17	13	13·00	12·56	19	19·00
Mount Morgan ...	87	6·93	28	32·18	16·74	32	36·78
Rockhampton ...	207	5·31	52	25·12	12·59	60	28·99
Townsville ...	213	4·59	54	25·35	11·89	66	30·99
All Other ...	2,025	5·12	474	23·41	12·64	537	26·52
Totals ...	5,095	5·08	1,200	23·55	12·54	1,356	26·61

* Includes Charters Towers.

The figures in the third and sixth columns represent the population numbers as nearly as they can be arrived at of children of 2 and 5 years of age respectively. They are based on the facts as at the last census, and are incorrect now to whatever extent the age condition of the population has changed since that date. As population additions since then have consisted largely of the excess of births over deaths, the population ratios here given are manifestly below the truth, but, for comparison, are sufficiently accurate. Taking children under 2 years of age, comparing Maryborough, with a ratio

between deaths of that age and total deaths of 13, and Enoggera, with a ratio of 46, the difference is very pronounced. A slight modification of the latter ratio is, however, necessary to make the comparison a fair one, as there were relatively more children under 2 years in Enoggera than in Maryborough. With adjustment, the ratio for the former would stand at 44 per cent. The goldfields of Mount Morgan, Gympie, and Charters Towers show ratios of 32, 27, and 24 respectively, but then the agricultural districts of Bundaberg and Toowoomba give averages of 33 and 28.

The figures in the following table suffer from the same defect as those in the previous table. The last census is so distant that an estimate of the population at each age period can be only approximate, as it must necessarily be based on the experience of the enumeration then made:—

R.

Age Period.					Proportion of Popu- lation at each Age Period to Total Population, Census 1901.	Number of Mean Popu- lation, 1906, at each Age Period on basis of Census Ratio.	Deaths, 1906.	
							Number.	Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population.
Under 1 year	...	...	...	...	2·58	13,746	1,047	76·17
1 to 2 years	...	...	...	...	2·46	13,107	153	11·67
2 to 3	„	...	...	...	2·42	12,893	74	5·74
3 to 4	„	...	...	...	2·53	13,479	43	3·19
4 to 5	„	...	...	...	2·45	13,053	39	2·99
Total under 5 years					12·44	66,278	1,356	20·46
5 to 10 years	...	...	...	...	12·63	67,290	109	1·62
10 to 15	„	...	...	...	11·59	61,750	83	1·34
15 to 20	„	...	...	...	9·39	50,028	132	2·64
20 to 25	„	...	...	...	9·30	49,549	191	3·85
25 to 30	„	...	...	...	8·48	45,180	215	4·76
30 to 35	„	...	...	...	7·78	41,451	218	5·26
35 to 40	„	...	...	...	7·19	38,307	267	6·97
40 to 45	„	...	...	...	5·85	31,168	287	9·21
45 to 50	„	...	...	...	4·09	21,791	263	12·07
50 to 55	„	...	...	...	3·25	17,315	291	16·81
55 to 60	„	...	...	...	2·57	13,693	255	18·62
60 to 65	„	...	...	...	2·15	11,455	305	26·63
65 to 70	„	...	...	...	1·30	6,926	358	51·69
70 to 75	„	...	...	...	0·72	3,836	310	80·81
75 and upwards	...	...	...	...	0·54	2,877	454	157·80
Unspecified	...	...	...	...	0·73	3,889	1	0·26
Total					100·00	532,783	5,095	9·56

It affords food for grave reflection that, whilst the total deaths, including the young, whose heavy mortality we deprecate, and the very old, to whom death is a natural sequence, numbered last year less than 10 out of each 1,000 of the population; yet, with the very young, whose natural order of evolution should surely be to live, the death rate was as high as 76 per 1,000, or seven and a-half times that of the total population, and nearly as great as that of old people between the ages of 70 and 75.

Death Index.

The death index, or corrected death rate, based on the conversion of the crude rate on the basis of an assumed normal population, is given in the following table:—

Ra.

Year.	Classes of Age.	% of Queens- land Population at each Age Period, Census 1901.	Estimated Mean Population.	Number of Deaths.	Coefficient %.	% of Swedish Population at each Age Period.	Queensland Index %.	
1903	... {	Under 1 year	2·58	13,746	1,047	7·62	2·55	1·94
		1 to 20 years	43·47	231,601	633	0·27	39·80	1·09
		20 to 40	33·19	176,830	891	0·50	26·96	1·36
		40 to 60	15·98	85,139	1,096	1·29	19·23	2·48
		60 years and upwards	4·78	25,467	1,428	5·61	11·46	6·43
		Totals	100·00	532,783	5,095	0·96	100·00	13·30

The theory of this compilation is the abnormal and varying age condition of the populations of many countries which prevents a fair comparison of the mortality when reduced to ratios of the population.

It will be seen that the resulting correction gives the death index for Queensland at 13·30.

Rb.

The following table shows the number of deaths at each age group for each year since 1860:—

Year.	Under 1 Year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 Years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Age not stated.	Total all Ages.	Mean Age at Death.	Mean Age Living. Census Years.
1860	141	46	16	5	7	215	10	4	7	25	22	36	34	27	24	21	9	17	5	4	2	16	478	21·31	
1861	136	41	6	7	6	196	14	8	14	21	34	40	36	37	29	17	8	10	4	5	3	23	499	22·07	22·97
1862	222	74	30	20	16	362	22	14	18	36	44	53	47	53	38	33	25	15	9	6	2	20	797	20·55	
1863	329	158	61	43	36	627	65	21	28	67	75	80	62	51	42	34	24	20	9	8	7	55	1,275	17·15	
1864	365	155	47	38	34	639	73	19	34	97	111	93	73	64	47	47	25	19	10	10	8	77	1,446	18·46	22·27
1865	580	206	70	27	20	903	59	30	38	113	126	107	75	64	44	43	28	30	10	4	3	56	1,733	15·80	
1866	690	320	94	55	23	1,182	63	28	58	168	192	167	116	64	71	55	41	30	26	16	10	75	2,362	17·03	
1867	578	228	73	43	25	947	39	31	30	84	114	119	90	52	62	45	28	26	11	8	7	52	1,745	16·06	
1868	552	197	77	48	21	895	51	25	28	70	110	113	104	71	52	47	36	46	19	15	14	103	1,799	18·15	23·06
1869	528	199	53	33	14	827	39	16	28	71	119	142	103	82	71	46	32	41	25	15	13	91	1,761	19·58	
1870	526	129	63	30	18	766	41	27	30	48	112	117	93	79	62	70	43	34	17	15	12	79	1,645	19·92	
1871	516	137	67	46	26	792	47	28	53	81	107	120	101	89	51	53	45	47	25	18	26	102	1,785	20·54	22·70
1872	578	178	67	47	22	892	54	27	35	69	131	129	102	116	51	78	42	43	27	20	21	99	1,936	20·15	
1873	701	209	94	55	37	1,096	84	40	43	84	128	134	119	100	72	54	44	56	31	19	21	125	2,250	18·38	
1874	776	251	91	53	34	1,205	92	45	48	127	151	175	187	144	107	112	72	56	32	42	22	177	2,794	20·95	
1875	1,025	429	194	92	84	1,824	194	59	92	183	186	237	238	185	132	100	59	70	41	31	39	434	4,104	18·33	
1876	994	331	110	68	45	1,548	96	50	105	166	190	162	208	164	114	85	80	66	51	38	41	303	3,467	19·58	23·30
1877	1,058	326	102	55	30	1,571	101	54	102	153	138	170	166	154	107	93	74	65	50	37	42	296	3,373	18·87	
1878	1,234	415	142	76	42	1,909	93	47	104	191	179	205	201	196	152	107	95	92	81	56	46	466	4,220	19·76	
1879	917	248	107	52	42	1,366	92	56	97	177	151	160	190	176	140	94	66	72	52	30	36	252	3,207	20·62	
1880	865	188	85	44	31	1,213	62	45	110	196	172	188	192	155	138	98	73	85	44	48	37	161	3,017	22·35	
1881	918	256	96	36	41	1,347	84	54	147	265	222	193	164	166	158	129	86	81	61	38	56	69	3,320	22·29	23·32
1882	1,188	374	114	64	47	1,787	109	80	204	382	312	240	199	174	166	134	99	100	70	63	80	75	4,274	21·35	
1883	1,319	471	174	103	63	2,130	125	60	305	522	383	272	200	237	177	147	106	94	83	68	88	44	5,041	20·78	
1884	1,574	436	154	93	72	2,329	144	114	710	987	641	383	283	286	210	207	138	124	93	69	106	37	6,861	21·80	
1885	1,733	395	129	100	62	2,419	154	71	442	631	538	367	256	321	214	212	148	131	93	73	101	64	6,235	21·71	
1886	1,584	423	131	103	59	2,300	129	71	265	497	443	290	265	258	212	203	144	152	96	69	111	70	5,575	22·06	23·60
1887	1,526	330	140	93	47	2,136	135	82	241	382	355	285	246	249	227	206	155	143	109	78	111	26	5,166	22·80	
1888	1,719	338	132	63	57	2,309	122	89	246	432	391	317	231	241	224	216	181	156	130	83	138	23	5,529	22·91	
1889	1,962	397	153	112	63	2,687	135	87	208	448	409	341	280	245	269	265	204	187	114	115	126	12	6,132	22·54	
1890	1,548	352	153	101	99	2,253	206	82	176	376	377	363	266	242	248	265	181	183	112	117	140	51	5,638	23·95	
1891	1,489	300	131	119	73	2,112	158	65	205	363	362	310	229	199	206	225	175	161	114	106	163	17	5,170	23·92	23·56
1892	1,591	277	121	89	48	2,126	170	77	151	326	325	293	253	199	230	277	193	176	137	124	182	27	5,266	25·01	
1893	1,691	363	171	109	63	2,397	201	90	199	294	372	323	242	207	230	250	182	200	165	121	193	29	5,695	24·10	
1894	1,369	301	162	115	91	2,038	166	84	165	250	351	287	267	223	203	269	199	226	199	160	201	10	5,298	26·88	
1895	1,356	264	117	87	75	1,899	196	108	187	235	306	281	288	219	220	246	215	209	174	134	220	15	5,152	27·10	
1896	1,466	293	108	94	69	2,030	151	108	166	261	312	298	316	274	240	296	282	277	217	165	229	23	5,645	28·57	
1897	1,354	245	107	72	56	1,834	170	84	148	244	315	326	357	275	244	241	260	267	214	148	280	16	5,423	29·67	
1898	1,540	374	159	129	79	2,281	226	127	162	260	289	308	321	311	260	260	281	302	287	207	350	11	6,243	29·12	
1899	1,521	309	141	95	59	2,125	178	122	211	329	384	356	340	264	236	268	306	283	215	222	295	10	6,144	28·88	
1900	1,456	234	87	64	49	1,890	133	110	197	303	292	302	310	308	258	237	290	277	293	225	302	20	5,747	30·78	
1901	1,458	250	98	58	50	1,914	128	112	192	285	287	343	349	312	262	299	295	315	286	259	354	15	6,007	31·88	24·97
1902	1,424	221	77	63	33	1,818	137	120	173	307	334	322	350	324	268	289	310	380	369	308	378	17	6,204	33·63	
1903	1,513	316	113	81	58	2,081	176	129	170	235	304	309	306	308	276	284	312	385	318	290	450	13	6,346	32·42	
1904	1,072	192	100	63	55	1,482	139	106	154	231	219	266	283	319	250	285	257	336	309	246	368	...	5,250	34·65	
1905	1,029	186	80	62	37	1,394	139	98	168	219	233	249	301	282	307	302	277	355	361	338	478	2	5,503	37·38	
1906	1,047	153	74	43	39	1,356	109	83	132	191	215	218	267	287	263	291	255	305	358	310	454	1	5,095	37·31	

There were 1,047 children under 1 year of age who died during 1906; this was 18 more than in the previous year, but, with that exception, was the lowest since 1881. In 1904 there were only 1,072 deaths of infants of the like age. The great reduction in the number of such deaths is reflected in the increased mean age for all deaths, as shown in the last column but one of the table. The mean ages for the past four years were—1903, 32·42; 1904, 34·65; 1905, 37·38; and 1906, 37·31. Further valuable information as to ages at death may be gathered from the Appendix, where very full details are tabulated from some of the tables. It would appear that amongst the young, deaths are more numerous in the summer months. This is not so much due to direct climatic causes as dietetic. With infants largely dependant upon milk it is difficult, although not impossible, to keep this article in a fit state for consumption. Older children also suffer from the various complaints attendant upon a too liberal consumption of fruit, plentiful at this season, and that, too, not infrequently in an unfit condition for eating. In the former case parents will not take the trouble necessary to keep the milk sweet, and, in the latter, fail to exercise the necessary supervision, and many children die in consequence.

Causes of Death.

The following table affords information as to the system under which the deaths occurring in this State are classified, and gives for a number of years the percentage to the total deaths tabulated to each class and sub-class:—

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TABLE comparing the PERCENTAGE which the several CAUSES of DEATHS bear to the TOTAL DEATHS in each YEAR.—RETURN for the FIVE YEARS.

Cause of Death.	1902.	Cause of Death.	1903.	1904.	1905.	1906.
I.—ZYMOTIC DISEASES.		CLASS I.—GENERAL DISEASES.				
1. Miasmatic Diseases	5·63	Sub-class—				
2. Diarrhoeal Diseases	5·03	1	6·40	8·36	4·61	4·38
3. Malarial Diseases	0·89	2	6·73	3·24	6·49	3·67
4. Zoogenous Diseases ... ..	...	3	0·47	0·61	0·64	0·74
5. Venereal Diseases	0·56	4	0·58	0·63	0·49	0·65
6. Septic Diseases	0·77	5	1·27	1·62	1·23	1·10
TOTALS	12·88	6	8·56	9·58	8·69	8·48
II.—PARASITIC DISEASES	0·39	7	0·35	0·29	0·13	0·35
III.—DIETETIC DISEASES	2·09	8	1·53	1·08	1·51	2·32
IV.—CONSTITUTIONAL DISEASES ...	16·23	9	0·79	1·01	1·13	0·80
V.—DEVELOPMENTAL DISEASES ...	6·66	10	3·97	5·66	6·38	5·73
VI.—LOCAL DISEASES.		11	1·29	1·20	1·54	1·61
1. Diseases of Nervous System ...	9·77	12	5·44	6·36	5·81	7·44
2. Diseases of Organs of Special Sense	0·18	TOTALS	37·38	39·64	38·65	37·27
3. Diseases of Circulatory System ...	8·85	CLASS II.—LOCAL DISEASES.				
4. Diseases of Respiratory System ...	12·02	Sub-class—				
5. Diseases of Digestive System ...	13·30	1. Diseases of Nervous System ...	7·11	6·97	6·52	6·00
6. Diseases of Lymphatic System and Ductless Glands	0·08	2. Diseases of Organs of Special Sense	0·14	0·13	0·18	0·14
7. Diseases of Urinary System ...	4·61	3. Diseases of Heart	6·87	6·84	7·76	7·93
8. Diseases of Organs of Generation...	0·53	4. Diseases of Blood Vessels ...	2·90	3·83	3·73	4·42
9. Diseases of Parturition	0·95	5. Diseases of the Respiratory Organs	10·10	10·74	11·03	9·42
10. Diseases of Organs of Locomotion...	0·23	6. Diseases of Digestive System ...	15·47	11·62	11·43	12·72
11. Diseases of Integumentary System...	0·43	7. Lymphatic Diseases	0·16	0·40	0·15	0·12
TOTALS	50·95	8. Diseases of Urinary System ...	4·65	4·99	5·14	5·95
VII.—VIOLENCE.		9. Diseases of Generative System ...	0·38	0·46	0·38	0·63
1. Accident or Negligence	7·75	10. Accidents of Childbirth	0·91	1·47	0·80	0·84
2. Homicide	0·24	11. Joint Diseases	0·17	0·32	0·29	0·23
3. Suicide	1·57	12. Skin Diseases	0·32	0·44	0·46	0·43
4. Execution ... ..	...	TOTALS	49·18	48·21	47·87	48·83
TOTALS	9·56	CLASS III.—OTHER SPECIFIED DISEASES	...	...	...	...
VIII. ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED CAUSES	1·24	CLASS IV.—ILL-DEFINED AND NOT SPECIFIED DISEASES.				
TOTALS	100·00	Sub-class 1	4·66	3·37	4·54	4·44
		CLASS V.—VIOLENT DEATHS.				
		Sub-class—				
		1. Accident or Negligence	7·12	6·72	6·89	7·17
		2. Homicide	0·22	0·23	0·27	0·33
		3. Suicide	1·41	1·83	1·74	1·92
		4. Execution	0·03	...	0·04	0·04
		TOTALS	8·78	8·78	8·94	9·46
		GRAND TOTALS	100·00	100·00	100·00	100·00

Class I.—General Diseases—which in 1906 embraced 37 per cent. of all deaths, refers to such causes as are recognised as due to external influences, the results not being necessarily confined to any one portion of the anatomy. Class II.—Local Diseases—as the term expresses, relates to causes not at present, at least, admitted as belonging to Class I., and which are scheduled according to the part of the body affected. These comprised practically half—49 per cent.—of all deaths. Class III. is reserved for

11 females—followed by valvular heart disease, 36. Apoplexy caused 21 deaths; pneumonia and bladder and prostate disease, each 18; cancer, &c., 17; and cerebral hæmorrhage, 14. Of the 454 who at death were more than 75 years old, 226 died before their 80th year, 130 during the next five years, 70 at from 85 to 90, 18 from 90 to 95, 9 between 95 and 100, and 1 above the latter age. The following table shows the number by sex of each of these groups:—

Tb.						Males.	Females.	Persons.
75 to 80	...	...	...	...	...	152	74	226
80 to 85	...	...	...	...	...	86	44	130
85 to 90	...	...	...	...	...	31	39	70
90 to 95	...	...	...	...	...	7	11	18
95 to 100	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	9
100 and upwards	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
						284	170	454

The centenarian was described as 108 years and 11 months old, and there appears no sufficient reason to justify doubt on the point; he was well known, and maintained his faculties to the last, and had always stated the year 1798 as that of his birth.

A number of the tables in the Appendix are compiled with the view of showing in detail the numbers of deaths due to each cause in various combinations as to age, period of the year, and locality. Brief summaries of the salient features of these tabulations are contained in the following tables and statements, the first of which relates to the ratios of mortality due to the 17 most fatal causes of death during 1906.

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RETURN for THREE YEARS showing the NUMBER of DEATHS from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES in the ORDER of their DEGREE of FATALITY in 1906, also their PROPORTION per 10,000 of the TOTAL DEATHS and per 100,000 of the MEAN POPULATION, respectively, for each of the YEARS 1903-6.

Most Common Cause of Death.	1903.			1904.			1905.			1906.		
	Number of Deaths.	Proportion per 10,000 of Total Deaths.	Proportion per 100,000 of Mean Population.	Number of Deaths.	Proportion per 10,000 of Total Deaths.	Proportion per 100,000 of Mean Population.	Number of Deaths.	Proportion per 10,000 of Total Deaths.	Proportion per 100,000 of Mean Population.	Number of Deaths.	Proportion per 10,000 of Total Deaths.	Proportion per 100,000 of Mean Population.
Phthisis, Tuberculous Phthisis ...	402	633	78	410	781	79	397	721	76	361	709	68
Gastro Enteritis ...	433	682	84	255	486	49	250	454	48	309	606	58
Carcinoma, Sarcoma, Cancer, Malignant Disease	252	397	49	297	566	57	351	638	67	292	573	55
Valvular Disease, Endocarditis (not infective)	227	358	44	190	362	37	252	458	48	230	451	43
Premature Birth ...	171	269	33	175	333	34	149	271	28	200	393	38
Old Age ...	185	292	36	113	215	22	196	356	37	179	351	34
Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	180	284	35	153	291	29	160	291	30	176	345	33
Pneumonia ...	256	403	50	205	390	39	228	414	43	167	328	31
Bronchitis ...	155	244	30	141	269	27	153	278	29	146	287	27
Syncope, Heart Disease (not specified)	142	224	28	112	213	22	103	187	20	120	236	23
Drowning (accidental) ...	97	153	19	73	139	14	70	127	13	102	200	19
Convulsions ...	177	279	35	139	265	27	116	211	22	90	177	17
Congenital Defects ...	59	93	12	73	139	14	77	140	15	90	177	17
Diarrhœa, Choleraic Diarrhœa ...	193	304	38	88	168	17	62	113	12	89	175	17
Enteric Fever ...	189	298	37	91	173	18	95	173	18	88	173	17
Cerebral Hæmorrhage (Embolism and Thrombosis)	76	120	15	74	141	14	76	138	14	85	167	16
Enteritis (not epidemic) ...	163	257	32	91	173	18	106	193	20	74	145	14
Total Deaths each Year from all Causes	6,346	...	...	5,250	...	...	5,503	...	...	5,095	...	...
Mean Population for each Year ...	...	512,690	...	...	519,178	...	...	525,728	...	...	532,783	...

Phthisis, tuberculous phthisis, under which are comprised all deaths due to tuberculosis of the pulmonary and laryngeal organs, stands at the head of the list with 361 deaths, which is 36 fewer than in 1905, and is a marked reduction on the figures of other preceding years, as will be seen as follows:—

Td.**DEATHS FROM PHTHISIS AND TUBERCULOSIS OF THE PULMONARY AND LARYNGEAL ORGANS.**

RETURN showing BIRTHPLACES and DURATION OF RESIDENCE in QUEENSLAND of PERSONS who DIED from the above CAUSES, 1902-1906.

Birthplaces.				Duration of Residence in Queensland.									Total.	
				Under 6 Months.	6-12 Months.	1-2 Years.	2-3 Years.	3-4 Years.	4-5 Years.	5-10 Years.	10-15 Years.	15-20 Years.		20 Years and Up.	Unspecified.
1902	{	Australian States and New Zealand	4	1	1	...	2	1	5	5	11	70	9	109
		Pacific Islands	7	11	23	15	2	...	7	10	3	4	5	87
		Elsewhere	5	9	8	2	5	3	13	29	54	110	24	262
		Totals	16	21	32	17	9	4	25	44	68	184	38	458
1903	{	Australian States and New Zealand	4	...	2	1	2	1	1	4	12	64	9	100
		Pacific Islands	4	2	6	7	4	4	8	8	3	3	8	57
		Elsewhere	4	4	5	3	...	5	4	17	34	114	55	245
		Totals	12	6	13	11	6	10	13	29	49	181	72	402
1904	{	Australian States and New Zealand	1	...	...	1	...	...	4	6	15	93	9	129
		Pacific Islands	2	5	7	8	4	2	8	6	5	10	3	60
		Elsewhere	1	1	1	2	1	4	12	13	45	114	27	221
		Totals	4	6	8	11	5	6	24	25	65	217	39	410
1905	{	Australian States and New Zealand	1	...	1	1	1	1	5	9	19	106	3	147
		Pacific Islands ... ..	...	...	3	6	5	...	6	8	5	9	6	48
		Elsewhere	2	2	1	1	1	4	5	12	32	106	36	202
		Totals	3	2	5	8	7	5	16	29	56	221	45	397
1906	{	Australian States and New Zealand	1	...	1	1	...	...	8	5	8	91	5	120
		Pacific Islands ... ..	...	1	...	7	3	1	7	10	8	10	3	50
		Elsewhere	4	1	1	5	3	1	14	10	28	115	9	191
		Totals	5	2	2	13	6	2	29	25	44	216	17	361

There were 458 deaths from this cause in 1902, 402 in 1903, 410 in 1904, and 397 in 1905, so that the experience for last year was 97 better than that for the first year of the quinquennium. Pulmonary tuberculosis can no longer be regarded as largely an imported disease, as by far the larger number of those succumbing to its attacks were persons of long residence. In 1906, 216, or 60 per cent., of the persons dying from these causes had been upwards of twenty years in Queensland; 44, or another 12 per cent., had been more than fifteen years here; and 25 and 29 had been of upwards of ten and five years' residence respectively. Many important discoveries have been made in recent years respecting this terrible complaint, and much has in consequence been done to reduce the risks of infection, and to ameliorate and modify the consequence even when once contracted, but much yet remains to be accomplished. The more recent addition to scientific knowledge on the subject, which has resulted in what is known as the "opsonic" treatment of the disease, would appear to offer hope of a more successful method of dealing with tuberculosis than has hitherto obtained. Pulmonary and laryngeal tuberculosis were responsible for 7 per cent. of all deaths. Deaths due to tuberculosis of other parts than the respiratory system are also specially tabulated with respect to duration of residence.

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DEATHS FROM TUBERCULAR DISEASES (OTHER THAN TUBERCULOSIS OF PULMONARY AND LARYNGEAL ORGANS).

RETURN showing BIRTHPLACES and DURATION of RESIDENCE of PERSONS who DIED from the above CAUSES, 1902-1906.

Birthplaces.				Duration of Residence in Queensland.									Total.		
				Under 6 Months.	6-12 Months.	1-2 Years.	2-3 Years.	3-4 Years.	4-5 Years.	5-10 Years.	10-15 Years.	15-20 Years.		20 Years and Up.	Unspecified.
1902	Australian States and New Zealand			24	20	4	3	3	2	5	3	3	8	2	77
	Pacific Islands			9	9	10	8	3	...	6	2	3	1	1	52
	Elsewhere ... ..			...	...	1	...	...	...	3	4	8	15	2	33
	Totals... ..			33	29	15	11	6	2	14	9	14	24	5	162
1903	Australian States and New Zealand			19	16	12	4	...	1	7	6	2	8	4	79
	Pacific Islands			2	4	11	8	...	2	3	7	4	4	2	47
	Elsewhere ... ..			...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	3	5	5	15
	Totals... ..			21	20	24	12	1	3	10	13	9	17	11	141
1904	Australian States and New Zealand			11	8	8	4	2	2	5	2	2	14	1	59
	Pacific Islands			1	3	1	2	...	2	5	3	2	2	2	23
	Elsewhere ... ..			...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	6	1	11
	Totals			12	11	9	6	3	4	11	6	5	22	4	93
1905	Australian States and New Zealand			11	13	5	2	...	...	3	1	2	7	2	46
	Pacific Islands ... ..			...	...	...	2	5	2	5	2	1	3	3	23
	Elsewhere ... ..			...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	2	6	...	12
	Totals... ..			11	13	6	5	5	2	8	5	5	16	5	81
1906	Australian States and New Zealand			12	7	7	1	1	...	2	2	2	4	2	40
	Pacific Islands ... ..			...	...	...	1	1	1	1	3	4	3	...	14
	Elsewhere ... ..			...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	7	6	17
	Totals... ..			12	7	8	2	2	1	4	5	8	14	8	71

Although showing a much larger proportion of deaths of those only a short while in the State, this fact has no significance, as these cases comprise almost all instances in which tuberculosis attacks the very young, such as tabes, &c.

Gastro Enteritis.—It was the reduction in the number of deaths due to this complaint that was so pronounced a feature in the mortality experience of 1904 and 1905. In 1903, 433 deaths were attributed to this cause. Last year the registrations numbered 309, which, although 124 fewer than those for 1903, exceeded the results for the two following years by 54 in 1904 and 59 in 1905. This cause last year contributed 6 per cent. of all deaths.

Carcinoma, &c.—The deaths due to this cause fluctuate very considerably; responsible for 297 deaths in 1904; the number rose to 351 in 1905, and fell again to 292 last year. But little advance has yet been made in the knowledge of the causation of these diseases, notwithstanding the special investigations that have been made under the auspices of the Cancer Research Association. The following table, giving the parts affected in each fatal case recorded last year, is compiled annually at the request of members of the medical profession:—

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RETURN showing the AGES of all PERSONS REGISTERED as DYING from CARCINOMA, SARCOMA, MALIGNANT DISEASE, and CANCER during the Year 1906, together with the portion of the BODY affected thereby.

Portion of the Body Affected.	AGE.																																								Total.		
	1 to 2.		2 to 3.		3 to 4.		5 to 10.		15 to 20.		20 to 25.		25 to 30.		30 to 35.		35 to 40.		40 to 45.		45 to 50.		50 to 55.		55 to 60.		60 to 65.		65 to 70.		70 to 75.		75 and upwards.		Unspecified.		Males.	Females.	Persons.				
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.									
Abdomen																																					2	5	7				
Arm and Liver													1																								1	2	3				
Bladder																																					2	12	12				
Breasts																																					1	3	4				
" and Liver																																					...	2	2				
" and Lungs																																					...	3	3				
" and Stomach																																					...	2	2				
Face																																					...	1	1				
" and Neck																																					2	...	2				
Gall Bladder																																					3	...	3				
Gums																																					1	2	3				
Head																																					1	...	1				
Hip																																					1	...	1				
Intestines																																					1	...	1				
" Cæcum																																					8	6	14				
" Rectum																																					1	1	2				
" and Bladder																																					1	6	7				
Jaw																																					1	...	1				
Kidney																																					6	...	6				
" and Bowel																																					1	...	1				
Knee																																					1	...	1				
Larynx																																					1	...	1				
Lip																																					2	...	2				
" and Cervical Glands																																					1	...	1				
" and Stomach																																					1	...	1				
Liver																																					28	12	40				
" and Abdomen																																					1	...	1				
" Kidney, Omentum, &c.																																					...	1	...	1			
" and Lung																																					1	...	1				
" and Omentum																																					1	...	1				
" and Stomach																																					3	...	3				
Lungs																																					...	2	2				
Mediastinum																																					1	...	1				
Mouth																																					...	1	1				
Neck																																					7	...	7				
" Mediastinum, Thorax, and Lung																																											

With males the most frequent seat of attack was the stomach, 45 cases being thus certified, besides three others in which the liver was also implicated. The liver was given on the certificate in 28 instances, there were also 6 cases in which that organ was combined with some other part of the body. With females the reproductive organs are most subject to this disease; the uterus alone contributed 27, and, with other organs, 4 deaths; the stomach, liver, and breasts were each attacked in 12 cases.

Valvular Disease and Endocarditis (non-infective).—These diseases were fourth on the list in order of degree of fatality, and were responsible for 230 deaths, the numbers for the two previous years being 190 in 1904 and 252 in 1905, the figures for 1906 showing an increase on the former and a decrease on the latter.

Premature Birth.—There were 200 deaths attributed to this cause last year, or a proportion to the total births of 14 per 1,000. This was considerably more than in either of the two preceding years, the numbers then being 175 in 1904 and 149 in 1905. The figures for 1906 amount to 4 per cent. of the total deaths, and it seems doubtful if expectant mothers are as careful as their condition demands.

Old Age.—This very indefinite and unsatisfactory cause was returned on 179 occasions in 1906, or 17 less than in 1905, but in 66 more than in 1904. Of all deaths of persons upwards of 60 years of age 12 per cent. were returned on the certificates as due to this cause, and just double that ratio, or 24 per cent., with respect to all over 75 years of age. This is a great deal better than the conditions at one time obtaining, but is not so satisfactory as to leave no room for improvement.

Bright's Disease (Chronic) caused 176 in 1906, or four less than in 1903, but 23 and 16 more than in 1904 and 1905 respectively. Although the experience of the four years quoted exhibit such fluctuations, yet a study of the figures, actual and relative, for a number of years, points to a gradual increase in the frequency of this—at present—incurable complaint.

Pneumonia, the most fatal of the local diseases attacking the respiratory system, caused 167 deaths during 1906, a marked decrease on the numbers for either of the three preceding years, which were as follow:—1903, 256; 1904, 205; and 1905, 228. Of course, these figures do not include all cases in which pneumonia was given on the certificate, it being the rule that where this complaint is the sequel of some other dangerous disease the death is classed to the primary cause.

Bronchitis, a frequent cause of death amongst old people, was returned in 146 cases, thus contributing 2·87 per cent. of all deaths. This was approximately the same as in the three immediately previous years.

Drowning (Accident).—There was a great increase last year in the number of deaths due to this cause, the figures for recent years being—1903, 97; 1904, 73; 1905, 70; and 1906, 102. Although the cyclone which visited the north-eastern seaboard resulted in a few fatalities, the additional number of deaths from drowning were generally distributed throughout the State.

Convulsions.—This very indefinite term was used on 90 occasions last year, and it is satisfactory to note that this is a marked decrease on previous experience, and leads to the hope that the time is not distant when it will cease to appear on medical certificates. In 1903, 1904, and 1905 there were 177, 139, and 116 deaths so returned, thus the figure for 1906 was but little more than half that for 1903, and those for the two intermediate years showed a gradual decrease towards that for the former year.

Diarrhœa.—This is largely a disease of children, especially of the very young during the period of teething. It caused 89 deaths in 1906, or 27 more than in 1905, and 1 more than in 1904. Diarrhœa also frequently accompanies or is a symptom of other infantile complaints, and when so returned the death is classed to the latter.

Enteric Fever.—This is perhaps the most preventable of all diseases, as it is almost invariably due to a disregard of sanitary requirements. Although the mortality from this cause in 1906—88—was only very little below that for either of the two immediately preceding years, yet it was less than half that for 1903, when 189 deaths were recorded. Experiments are in progress, so far with most hopeful results, with a view of testing the efficacy of vaccinating for enteric. This complaint is more an infectious than a contagious disease, and, as already stated, ought not to exist under the ordinary conditions of civilised life, and, therefore, vaccination is little likely to come into general practice, as in connection with a highly contagious disease like smallpox. As a protection, however, of those who are unavoidably brought into contact with conditions favourable to the contraction of enteric fever, such a prophylactic would prove invaluable.

Childbirth.—There were 36 deaths in 1906, due to the various accidents of childbirth, the number in the previous year being 43. The age and the previous issue of the women who so died last year were as follow:—

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Age of Mother.			NUMBER OF PREVIOUS ISSUE.											Total Mothers.	
			None	One.	Two.	Three.	Four.	Five.	Six.	Seven.	Eight.	Nine.	Ten.		Over Ten.
17 years...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19 "	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
20 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
23 "	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
24 "	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4
25 "	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
26 "	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
27 "	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
28 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
29 "	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
30 "	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
31 "	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
32 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
33 "	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
34 "	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
35 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
36 "	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
37 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	4
38 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2
39 "	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2
40 "	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
41 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2
42 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1
43 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
44 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
45 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
47 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
49 "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	10	4	4	5	1	3	3	3	...	2	...	1	36

Ten of the 36 deaths were those of primiparæ, the youngest aged 19 and the eldest 39; 20, or 56 per cent., were women over 30 years of age, and 12 were already the mothers of five or more children.

MARINE REGISTRATION.

There was only one record made in the Marine Registers for 1906, that of a male death on the ss. "Orontes" on its voyage from London to Brisbane.

ADDITIONS TO REGISTERS.

The new names added to the registrations during last year numbered 26,290, or 815 more than in 1905, making the aggregate number on record at the end of 1906 838,168.

REGISTRY OFFICE—RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE.

The following table shows the revenue received from fees under the Registration and Marriage Acts during each of the last two years:—

U.

RETURN showing the AMOUNTS received by the DISTRICT REGISTRARS in the STATE during the Years 1905 and 1906 respectively, and paid into the GENERAL REVENUE.

District Registrars at—	1905.	1906.	District Registrars at—	1905.	1906.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Brisbane	385 18 8	374 17 1	Red Hill	22 5 6	21 0 6
Cairns	12 8 6	8 9 6	Rockhampton	46 4 6	34 10 0
Charters Towers	42 13 0	39 15 0	Toowoomba	40 19 6	31 7 0
Dalby	4 8 6	7 13 1	Townsville	33 12 0	29 15 6
Gympie	14 16 6	18 7 6	Warwick	13 17 0	12 8 6
Ipswich	48 3 0	48 4 6	Total all other Districts ...	163 6 6	154 12 6
Mackay	11 18 0	13 9 6			
Maryborough	39 8 1	24 14 0	TOTAL ... £	879 19 3	819 4 2

The income for 1906 was not quite so great as for the previous year. The revenue collected during 1906 in the metropolitan office was £375. A large amount of gratuitous work, estimated at scale rates to amount to £200, is also carried out by the Department in the interests of foreign consuls, other departments, &c.

The expenditure on account of salaries and fees to District Registrars for 1905 and 1906 was as follows:—

Ua.

RETURN showing the AMOUNT of SALARY or FEES PAID to DISTRICT REGISTRARS of the STATE during the Years 1905 and 1906 respectively.

District.	1905.	1906.	District.	1905.	1906.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
Caboorture	48 12 0	50 17 0	Moreton East	54 18 0	†
Cardwell	24 18 0	25 19 0	Nundah	36 12 0	†
Drayton and Toowoomba ...	*200 0 0	*200 0 0	Oxley	52 13 0	46 7 0
Enoggera	149 10 0	144 12 6	Rockhampton	†70 0 0	*100 0 0
Fassifern	24 19 6	21 16 6	Total all other Districts ...	386 3 3	391 11 0
Ipswich	*200 0 0	*200 0 0			
Kennedy	*140 0 0	*160 0 0	Total ... £	1,508 5 9	1,471 3 0
Maryborough	*120 0 0	*130 0 0			

* Paid by salary. † Allowed a Clerk at £70 per annum. ‡ Absorbed in the Registry District of Brisbane.

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Government Statistician's Office,
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GENERAL SCHEME OF CLASSIFICATION OF CAUSES OF DEATH.

CLASS I.—General Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 1.

1. Small-pox.
2. Cow-pox and Effects of Vaccination.
3. Chicken-pox.
4. Measles (Morbilli).
5. Epidemic Rose Rash, German Measles.
6. Scarlet Fever.
7. Typhus.
8. Plague.
9. Relapsing Fever.
10. Influenza.
11. Whooping Cough.
12. Mumps.
13. Diphtheria, Membranous Croup.
14. Cerebro Spinal Fever.
15. Simple Continued Fever.
16. Enteric Fever.
17. Beri Beri.

SUB-CLASS 2.

1. Asiatic Cholera.
2. Epid. Diarrhoea, Epid. or Zim. Enteritis.
3. Diarrhoea, Choleraic Diarrhoea.
4. Dysentery.
5. Malarial Fever { Dengue.
Other.

SUB-CLASS 3.

1. Hydrophobia.
2. Glanders, Farcy.
3. Anthrax, Splenic Fever.
4. Tetanus.

SUB-CLASS 4.

1. Syphilis.
2. Gonorrhoea, Stricture of Urethra.

SUB-CLASS 5.

1. Puerperal Septicæmia, Sapræmia.
2. Puerperal Pyæmia.
3. Puerperal Phlegmasia Dolens.
4. Puerperal Fever.
5. Infective Endocarditis.
6. Epidemic Pneumonia, Pneumonic Fever.
7. Erysipelas.
8. Septicæmia (not Puerperal).
9. Pyæmia (not Puerperal).
10. Phlegmon, Carbuncle (not Anthrax).
11. Phagedæna.
12. Other Septic Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 6.

1. Tuberculous Phthisis, Pulm. Tuberculosis.
2. Phthisis.
3. Tuberculous Meningitis.
4. Tuberculous Peritonitis.
5. Tabes Mesenterica.
6. Lupus.
7. Tubercle of Other Organs.
8. General Tuberculosis.
9. Scrofula.

SUB-CLASS 7.

1. Hydatids.
2. Ankylostoma.
3. Other Animal Parasites.
4. Other Parasites.

SUB-CLASS 8.

1. Privation (Starvation, &c.).
2. Scurvy.
3. Alcoholism, Delirium Tremens.
4. Opium, Morphia Habit.
5. Potomac Poisoning.
6. Chronic Poisoning (not intentional).
7. Industrial Poisoning.

SUB-CLASS 9.

1. Rheumatic Fever, Acute Rheumatism.
2. Rheumatism of the Heart.
3. Chronic Rheumatism.
4. Rheumatic Arthritis, Rheumatic Gout.
5. Gout.

SUB-CLASS 10.

1. Carcinoma.
2. Sarcoma.
3. Malignant Disease, Cancer.

SUB-CLASS 11.

1. Rickets.
2. Purpura.
3. Hæmophilia, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis.
4. Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.
5. Diabetes Mellitus.

SUB-CLASS 12.

1. Premature Birth.
2. Congenital Defects.
3. Injury at Birth.
4. Atelectasis.
5. Want of Breast Milk.
6. Teething.

CLASS II.—Local Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.

1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain.
2. Softening of Brain.
3. General Paralysis of Insane.
4. Insanity (not Puerperal).
5. Chorea.
6. Epilepsy.
7. Convulsions.
8. Laryngismus Stridulus.
9. Locomotor Ataxy.
10. Paraplegia and Diseases of Cord.
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis.
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific).
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.

1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease.
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease.
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease.

SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASE OF HEART.

1. Valve Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective).
2. Pericarditis.
3. Hypertrophy of Heart.
4. Angina Pectoris.
5. Dilatation of Heart.
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart.
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified).

SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.

1. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Emb. Throm.
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia.
3. Aneurism.
4. Senile Gangrene.
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral).
6. Phlebitis.
7. Varicose Veins.
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.

1. Laryngitis.
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic).
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous).
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified).
5. Bronchitis.
6. Lobar, Croupous-Pneumonia.
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular, Pneumonia.
8. Pneumonia.
9. Emphysema, Asthma.
10. Pleurisy.
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung.
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other.

SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.

1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy.
2. Mouth, Pharynx, Disease (not Specified).
3. Gastric Ulcer.
4. Gastric Catarrh.
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant).
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic).
7. Gastro Enteritis.
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis.
9. Hernia.
10. Intestinal Obstruction.
11. Other Diseases of Intestines.
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal).
13. Cirrhosis of Liver.
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases.
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.

1. Spleen Disease.
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases.
3. Thyroid Body Disease.
4. Supra Renal Capsules Disease.

SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.

1. Nephritis, Acute.
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria.
3. Calculus (not Biliary).
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease.
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases.

Local Diseases—continued.

SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.

1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant).
2. Other Diseases of Ovary.
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant).
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina.
5. Disorders of Menstruation.
6. Gener. and Mam. Orgs., Other Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 10.—ACCIDENTS OF CHILDBIRTH.

1. Abortion, Miscarriage.
2. Puerperal Mania.
3. Puerperal Convulsions.
4. Placenta Prævia, Flooding.
5. Pregnancy, Childbirth, Other Accidents.

SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.

1. Caries, Necrosis.
2. Arthritis, Periostitis.
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases.

SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASE.

1. Ulcer, Bedsore.
2. Eczema.
3. Pemphigus.
4. Skin Diseases, Other.

CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.

CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.

1. Atrophy, Debility.
2. Old Age.
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca.
4. Tumour.
5. Abscess.
6. Hæmorrhage.
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained).
8. Other Ill-defined Causes.
9. Causes not Specified.

CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.

SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.

1. In Mines and Quarries.
2. Railways.
3. Tramways.
4. Other Vehicles.
5. Horses, &c.
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning).
7. Building Operations.
8. Machinery.
9. Weapons and Implements.
10. Burns and Scalds.
11. Poison, Poisonous Vapours.
12. Drowning.
13. Suffocation.
14. Falls (Otherwise).
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy.
16. Weather—Lightning.
17. Weather—Other.
18. Snake Bites.
19. Insect Bites.
20. Otherwise, or not stated.

SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.

1. Murder { a By Whites.
b By Coloured Persons.
2. Manslaughter.
3. Justifiable Homicide.

SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE

1. By Poison.
2. By Asphyxia.
3. By Hanging or Strangulation.
4. By Drowning.
5. By Firearms.
6. By Cutting Instruments.
7. By Jumping from High Places.
8. By Crushing.
9. By Other Means.

SUB-CLASS 4.

1. Execution.

NOTE.—The above Classification is based on the system adopted by the Registrar-General of England.

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APPENDIX TO GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S REPORT ON THE VITAL STATISTICS OF QUEENSLAND FOR THE YEAR 1906

APPENDIX A.
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SYNOPTICAL TABLE.

SYNOPSIS of the VITAL STATISTICS of QUEENSLAND, from the Year 1856 to 1906 inclusive

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TABLE showing the recorded DEPARTURES by SEA and OVERLAND by RAILWAY during each QUARTER of the YEAR 1906.

Period.	Whither.	Brisbane.		Mary-borough.		Bunda-berg.		Glad-stone.		Rock-hampton.		Mackay.		Port Denison.		Townsville.		Dunge-ness.		Gerald-ton.		Cairns.		Port Douglas.		Cook-town.		Thursday Island.		Norman-ton.		Burke-town.		Tweed Heads.		Wallan-garra.		TOTAL DEPARTURES.			
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Males.	Females	Persons.					
1st Quarter.	United Kingdom	91	75	91	75	166	
	New South Wales	1,092	755	2	87	67	20	5	3	2	86	56	6	4	70	29	13	6	22	10	2169	1028	2,804	1606	6,372	3,570	9,942	
	Victoria	192	154	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	57	40	...	...	...	16	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	267	201	468		
	South Australia	21	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	9	51		
	Western Australia	36	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	27	64		
	New Guinea (British)	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	37	27	64	
	Hong Kong	37	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	92	...	...	...	23	1	131	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	156	4	160	
	Other British Possessions in Asia	31	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	157	4	161	
	British America	22	11	39	5	44	
	British Africa	2	4	22	11	33	
	Other British Possessions (not pre-viously named)	5	2	2	4	6	
	Other Countries in Europe	5	2	5	2	7	
	United States	7	3	7	3	10
China	43	50	...	50	
Japan	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	64	3	67	
Pacific Islands	4	...	139	1	268	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	411	13	424	
Other Foreign Countries	4	1	51	3	54	
Total First Quarter...		1,553	1,048	139	1	268	12	...	2	94	67	20	5	4	3	256	98	6	4	182	35	37	7	246	20	2169	1028	2,804	1606	7,778	3,936	11,714	
2nd Quarter.	United Kingdom	79	62	79	62	141	
	New South Wales	1,167	707	75	41	21	9	3	1	51	32	2	2	65	23	11	1	9	6	1772	839	3,220	1540	6,396	3,201	9,597	
	Victoria	197	110	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	227	119	346	
	South Australia	12	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	11	35	
	Western Australia	22	30	22	30	52	
	New Guinea (British)	1	3	22	6	55	3	81	9	90	
	Hong Kong	70	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	52	3	...	...	4	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	134	5	139	
	Other British Possessions in Asia	11	1	18	2	20	
	British America	13	15	13	15	28	
	British Africa	1	1	...	1	
	Other British Possessions (not pre-viously named)	2	2	2	2	4	
	Other Countries in Europe	5	4	5	4	9
	United States	11	11	11	11	22
China	1	44	45	...	45	
Japan	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	9	51	
Pacific Islands	7	3	15	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	257	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	417	24	441	
Other Foreign Countries	1	1	2	7	2	9	
Total Second Quarter		1,602	960	153	6	1	76	41	21	9	3	1	149	45	259	17	120	26	37	7	112	14	1772	839	3,220	1540	7,524	3,506	11,030	

TABLE No. II.—continued.

TABLE showing the recorded DEPARTURES by SEA and OVERLAND by RAILWAY during each QUARTER of the YEAR 1906—continued.

Period.	Whither.	Brisbane.		Mary-borough.		Bunda-burg.		Glad-stone.		Rock-hampton.		Mackay.		Port Denison.		Townsville.		Dunge-ness.		Gerald-ton.		Cairns.		Port Douglas.		Cooktown.		Thursday Island.		Norman-ton.		Burke-town.		Tweed Heads.		Wallan-garra.		TOTAL DEPARTURES.									
		M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Males.	Females	Persons.									
3rd Quarter.	United Kingdom ...	26	45	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	45	72					
	New South Wales ...	1,272	732	8	6	1	84	67	41	15	6	2	107	59	3	5	11	6	...	7	5	8	3	7	6	1955	927	2803	1354	6,424	3,243	9,667						
	Victoria ...	186	130	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	188	131	319					
	South Australia ...	9	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	21	67					
	Western Australia ...	7	7	7	7	14							
	New Guinea (British) ...	4	1	30	13	43							
	Hong Kong ...	40	1	74	2	76							
	Other British Possessions in Asia ...	13	1	...	9	2	35	3	38						
	British America ...	8	14	8	14	22					
	British Africa ...	2	2	1	2	3	4	7				
	Other British Possessions (not previously named) ...	8	3	8	3	11			
	Other Countries in Europe ...	2	4	2	4	6			
	United States ...	7	10	7	10	17			
	China ...	1	5	25	31	...	31			
Japan ...	9	6	3	24	8	32				
Pacific Islands	206	17	79	1	287	18	305				
Other Foreign Countries ...	6	3	3	1	11	4	15			
Total, Third Quarter ...		1,600	972	8	6	206	17	...	2	89	67	41	15	7	2	237	65	3	5	128	57	40	14	...	79	18	9	3	7	6	1955	927	2803	1354	7,212	3,530	10,742						
4th Quarter.	United Kingdom ...	33	38	33	38	71		
	New South Wales ...	1,906	1,030	30	34	6	3	164	106	81	28	9	3	141	173	4	4	11	10	...	24	7	14	12	1	...	1876	888	3533	1957	7,934	4,298	12,232						
	Victoria ...	271	242	1	274	243	517		
	South Australia...	8	3	2	1	11	8	19			
	Western Australia ...	4	1	4	1	5			
	New Guinea (British)	88	6	94		
	Hong Kong ...	32	2	2	149	12	161			
	Other British Possessions in Asia ...	29	2	3	37	5	42		
	British America ...	7	7	7	7	14		
	British Africa ...	4	5	4	5	9	
	Other British Possessions (not previously named) ...	16	4	16	4	20	
	Other Countries in Europe ...	6	1	6	1	7
	United States ...	17	9	17	9	26
	China	59	81	...
Japan ...	3	2	11	3	19	6	25
Pacific Islands ...	343	27	82	1	846	42	888
Other Foreign Countries ...	6	3	1	1	12	4	16
Total, Fourth Quarter ...		2,685	1,374	30	34	7	3	173	106	163	29	9	3	219	180	4	4	590	58	42	1	45	15	...	145	24	16	13	1	...	1876	888	3533	1957	9,538	4,689	14,227						
TOTAL FOR THE YEAR ...		7,440	4,354	330	47	474	29	7	8	432	281	245	58	23	9	861	388	272	30	1020	176	42	1	159	43	...	582	76	25	16	8	6	7772	3682	12360	6457	32,052	15,661	47,713						

	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Total recorded Arrivals ...	31,649	16,028	47,677
Total recorded Departures ...	32,052	15,661	47,713
Excess of Arrivals	...	367	...
„ „ Departures	403	...	36

N.B.—For particulars respecting departures Coloured Aliens, vide Table No. IV.

Table No. III.

TABLE showing the ARRIVALS of COLOURED ALIENS by SEA and OVERLAND by RAILWAY during each QUARTER of the YEAR 1906.

Race.	Port.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL FOR YEAR.		
		Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Chinese	Brisbane	17	...	17	24	2	26	26	2	28	21	...	21	88	4	92
	Rockhampton ... ..	...	...	...	2	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
	Townsville	9	...	9	14	...	14	19	...	19	17	...	17	59	...	59
	Cairns	8	...	8	23	...	23	33	2	35	25	...	25	89	2	91
	Cooktown ... ..	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
	Thursday Island	6	...	6	6	...	6	4	...	4	26	...	26	42	...	42
	Tweed Heads	7	...	7	2	...	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	11	...	11
	Wallangarra	13	2	15	14	...	14	9	...	9	8	...	8	44	2	46
	Totals	60	2	62	88	3	91	92	4	96	98	...	98	338	9	347
Pacific Islanders	Brisbane ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	...	2
	Cooktown ... ..	...	...	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	6
	Thursday Island	8	...	8	25	2	27	...	...	...	1	...	1	34	2	36
	Tweed Heads	81	2	83	17	...	17	10	...	10	160	...	160	268	2	270
	Totals	89	2	91	48	2	50	10	...	10	163	...	163	310	4	314
Japanese	Brisbane ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2	3	...	3
	Townsville	1	...	1	4	2	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	7
	Thursday Island	7	1	8	6	1	7	4	...	4	37	5	42	54	7	61
	Tweed Heads ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Wallangarra ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
	Totals	8	1	9	13	3	16	4	...	4	39	5	44	64	9	73
Natives of India and Ceylon	Thursday Island	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Tweed Heads	17	...	17	20	...	20	24	...	24	33	...	33	94	...	94
	Wallangarra	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Totals	20	...	20	20	...	20	25	...	25	33	...	33	98	...	98
Other Asiatic Races	Townsville ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1
	Thursday Island	103	...	103	104	...	104	64	...	64	108	...	108	379	...	379
	Totals	103	...	103	104	...	104	64	...	64	108	1	109	379	1	380
GRAND TOTALS		280	5	285	273	8	281	195	4	199	441	6	447	1,189	23	1,212

Table No. IV.

TABLE showing the DEPARTURES of COLOURED ALIENS by SEA and OVERLAND by RAILWAY during each QUARTER of the YEAR 1906.

Race.	Port.	FIRST QUARTER.			SECOND QUARTER.			THIRD QUARTER.			FOURTH QUARTER.			TOTAL DURING YEAR.		
		Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Chinese	Brisbane	37	4	41	56	...	56	29	...	29	38	...	38	160	4	164
	Rockhampton	7	...	7	1	...	1	5	...	5	9	...	9	22	...	22
	Townsville	52	...	52	46	...	46	32	...	32	59	...	59	189	...	189
	Cairns	51	...	51	50	3	53	8	...	8	57	2	59	166	5	171
	Cooktown ... ..	...	...	...	4	...	4	11	...	11	13	...	13	28	...	28
	Thursday Island	3	...	3	5	...	5	9	...	9	33	4	37	50	4	54
	Tweed Heads ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	2	...	2	6	...	6
	Wallangarra	6	...	6	15	1	16	7	...	7	19	...	19	47	1	48
	Totals	156	4	160	177	4	181	105	...	105	230	6	236	668	14	682
Pacific Islanders	Brisbane ... ..	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	534	36	570	538	36	574
	Maryborough	138	1	139	152	6	158	...	...	...	...	...	...	290	7	297
	Bundaberg	266	12	278	...	...	...	204	17	221	...	...	...	470	29	499
	Mackay ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	76	...	76	76	...	76
	Townsville ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	79	1	80	...	...	...	79	1	80
	Dungeness ... ..	...	...	...	255	15	270	...	...	...	...	...	...	255	15	270
	Cairns	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	377	13	390	382	13	395
	Port Douglas ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	1	43	42	1	43
	Cooktown	4	...	4	2	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	8	...	8
	Thursday Island ... ..	...	...	...	3	2	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5
	Tweed Heads	30	...	30	11	...	11	17	...	17	133	...	133	191	...	191
	Totals	443	13	456	427	23	450	300	18	318	1,164	50	1,214	2,334	104	2,438
Japanese	Brisbane	2	1	3	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
	Townsville	30	...	30	18	3	21	3	...	3	6	...	6	57	3	60
	Cairns	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
	Thursday Island	69	2	71	19	3	22	16	2	18	5	1	6	109	8	117
	Tweed Heads ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	1	2
	Wallangarra ... ..	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
	Totals	104	3	107	42	6	48	20	3	23	11	1	12	177	13	190
Natives of India and Ceylon	Brisbane	31	...	31	2	...	2	9	...	9	14	...	14	56	...	56
	Townsville	27	...	27	...	...	...	3	...	3	1	...	1	31	...	31
	Cairns	41	...	41	2	...	2	1	...	1	22	...	22	66	...	66
	Thursday Island	2	...	2	3	...	3	10	1	11	1	...	1	16	1	17
	Tweed Heads	56	...	56	8	...	8	32	...	32	15	...	15	111	...	111
	Wallangarra ... ..	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Totals	157	...	157	17	...	17	55	1	56	53	...	53	282	1	283
Other Asiatic Races	Brisbane ... ..	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
	Townsville ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2
	Thursday Island	125	8	133	53	...	53	3	...	3	68	3	71	249	11	260
	Totals	125	8	133	57	...	57	4	...	4	68	3	71	254	11	265
GRAND TOTALS		985	28	1,013	720	33	753	484	22	506	1,526	60	1,586	3,715	143	3,858

Table No. V.

SHOWING the ESTIMATED POPULATION on 31st December, 1905; the NUMBER of BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, and DEATHS REGISTERED in Queensland during the YEAR 1906; the ESTIMATED POPULATION, and the ESTIMATED MEAN POPULATION of the STATE for the YEAR 1906.

Estimated Population on 31st December, 1905.			Births Registered in 1906.			Marriages Registered in 1906.	Deaths Registered in 1906.			Estimated Population on 31st December, 1906.			Estimated Mean Population, 1906.		
Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.		Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
290,206	237,842	528,048	7,280	6,739	14,019	3,588	3,212	1,883	5,095	292,609	242,504	535,113	292,164	240,619	532,783

Table No. VI.

RETURN showing ESTIMATED and MEAN POPULATION, BIRTHS, DEATHS, and MARRIAGES in the METROPOLITAN AREA for FIVE YEARS.

Year.	POPULATION.		BIRTHS.			DEATHS.			Number of Marriages.	Deaths under 1 year.	Birth rate per 1,000 Mean Population.	Death rate per 1,000 Mean Population.	Deaths under 1 year to total Births showing True Infant Mortality.
	Estimated 31st Dec.	Mean.	M.	F.	P.	M.	F.	P.		Persons.			
1902 ...	122,815	121,122	1,836	1,675	3,511	896	712	1,608	1,033	440	28.99	13.28	12.53
1903 ...	124,463	123,639	1,625	1,565	3,190	876	734	1,610	897	438	25.80	13.02	13.73
1904 ...	125,672	125,068	1,670	1,631	3,301	768	665	1,433	844	372	26.39	11.46	11.27
1905 ...	129,736	127,704	1,683	1,591	3,274	864	686	1,550	840	326	25.64	12.14	9.96
1906 ...	132,468	131,102	1,701	1,510	3,211	740	571	1,311	1,073	283	24.49	10.00	8.81

Table No. VII.

SHOWING the NUMBER of BIRTHS REGISTERED in each REGISTRY DISTRICT in each QUARTER of the YEAR 1906.

REGISTRY DISTRICT.	FIRST QUARTER.		SECOND QUARTER.		THIRD QUARTER.		FOURTH QUARTER.		TOTALS.		
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Aramac ...	13	12	20	10	14	11	17	14	64	47	111
Balonne ...	6	7	6	8	9	7	5	8	26	30	56
Blackall ...	15	16	18	8	9	15	22	18	64	57	121
Bowen ...	14	12	17	14	14	8	6	8	51	42	93
Brisbane ...	238	182	349	321	348	302	292	283	1,227	1,088	2,315
Bundaberg ...	52	50	58	46	58	42	66	53	234	191	425
Burke ...	2	4	4	3	1	3	4	2	11	12	23
Burnett ...	28	32	38	41	37	30	39	39	142	142	284
Caboolture ...	34	33	31	30	35	29	34	36	134	128	262
Cairns ...	32	38	36	39	49	36	34	37	151	150	301
Cardwell ...	14	14	6	12	15	16	15	8	50	50	100
Charleville... ..	4	8	16	21	10	11	8	14	38	54	92
Clermont ...	7	10	8	13	7	14	10	15	32	52	84
Cloncurry ...	6	2	1	2	1	7	11	4	19	15	34
Cook ...	5	6	11	19	10	7	14	14	40	46	86
Croydon ...	14	16	15	22	12	18	8	11	49	67	116
Cunnamulla ...	7	10	6	8	6	9	3	13	22	40	62
Dalby ...	8	10	11	10	9	9	10	12	38	41	79
Darling Downs Central ...	43	43	43	33	46	47	53	27	185	150	335
Darling Downs East ...	26	24	22	19	39	28	32	20	119	91	210
Darling Downs North ...	20	20	33	17	26	29	19	26	98	92	190
Darling Down West ...	5	3	7	2	10	6	5	8	27	19	46
Diamantina ...	3	1	4	8	2	5	2	1	11	15	26
Drayton and Toowoomba ...	91	82	99	82	70	67	81	87	341	318	659
Enoggera ...	63	52	96	92	92	87	92	79	343	310	653
Etheridge ...	4	4	6	4	7	5	1	3	18	16	34
Fassifern ...	28	25	32	23	20	29	30	33	110	110	220
Gladstone ...	14	14	13	19	14	16	19	20	60	69	129
Gympie ...	55	52	67	71	71	64	71	60	264	247	511
Herberton ...	25	36	26	40	34	28	29	31	114	135	249
Highfields... ..	19	8	13	9	18	12	16	11	66	40	106
Hughenden ...	10	5	5	6	7	2	14	13	36	26	62
Ipswich ...	45	40	48	43	51	49	69	56	213	188	401
Kennedy ...	93	85	82	88	117	102	107	98	399	373	772
Leichhardt ...	1	3	3	3	...	...	...	1	3	5	8
Logan ...	42	47	40	43	45	36	33	32	160	158	318
Mackay ...	38	32	40	34	47	53	47	32	172	151	323
Maranoa ...	28	27	40	30	34	31	37	33	139	121	260
Marathon ...	10	8	8	5	11	5	6	6	35	24	59
Maryborough ...	39	34	56	55	60	47	49	56	204	192	396
Moreton West ...	79	61	93	88	91	101	86	90	349	340	689
Mount Morgan ...	41	44	52	43	54	66	47	42	194	195	389
Oxley ...	15	12	25	18	21	15	20	28	81	73	154
Palmer ...	...	2	2	3	1	2	3	...	6	7	13
Peak Downs ...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	1	3
Rockhampton ...	68	52	73	77	68	59	70	51	279	239	518
Somerset ...	7	8	12	10	10	9	8	4	37	31	68
Springhurst... ..	7	2	17	7	5	7	8	15	37	31	68
Stanley ...	8	16	19	15	11	13	18	18	56	62	118
Stanthorpe ...	4	9	13	12	8	13	11	13	36	47	83
St. Lawrence ...	2	2	1	...	2	...	2	2	7	4	11
Tambo ...	...	...	2	3	5	2	3	1	10	6	16
Taroom ...	3	2	8	4	4	6	6	7	21	19	40
Tiaro ...	9	2	9	6	5	5	5	5	28	18	46
Toowoong ...	12	18	32	22	33	22	14	26	91	88	179
Townsville ...	54	41	71	46	57	54	61	54	243	195	438
Warrego ...	2	...	5	2	5	2	1	3	13	7	20
Warwick ...	28	24	25	32	24	32	29	28	106	116	216
Westwood... ..	22	14	14	20	25	16	19	21	80	71	151
Wide Bay ...	19	19	22	15	18	17	15	17	74	68	142
Woothakata ...	5	3	8	5	6	5	2	6	21	19	40
TOTAL EACH SEX ...	1,585	1,437	1,937	1,781	1,920	1,768	1,838	1,753	7,280	6,739	14,019
TOTAL PERSONS ...	3,022		3,718		3,688		3,591		14,019		

Table No. VIII.

SHOWING the NUMBER of MARRIAGES REGISTERED in each REGISTRY DISTRICT in each QUARTER of the Year 1906.

Registry District.	First Quarter.	Second Quarter.	Third Quarter.	Fourth Quarter.	Total.
Aramac	3	4	7	7	21
Balonne	5	2	2	1	10
Blackall	6	11	5	5	27
Bowen	8	3	5	9	25
Brisbane	218	248	203	238	907
Bundaberg	29	26	23	25	103
Burke	4	...	1	2	7
Burnett	11	12	13	23	59
Caboolture	13	6	14	20	53
Cairns	23	32	32	27	114
Cardwell	3	6	2	1	12
Charleville	5	10	5	11	31
Clermont	2	5	2	2	11
Cloncurry	1	...	3	6	10
Cook	8	10	14	4	36
Croydon	8	9	4	10	31
Cunnamulla	2	8	6	4	20
Dalby	8	6	8	2	24
Darling Downs Central	11	10	9	11	41
Darling Downs East	8	13	7	8	36
Darling Downs North	9	12	4	7	32
Darling Downs West	4	1	2	5	12
Diamantina	1	2	1	1	5
Drayton and Toowoomba	32	58	48	31	169
Enoggera	20	36	26	42	124
Etheridge	5	2	1	1	9
Fassifern	8	10	10	15	43
Gladstone	7	6	5	6	24
Gympie	22	29	30	23	104
Herberton	17	10	12	18	57
Highfields	5	4	3	9	21
Hughenden	2	5	3	4	14
Ipswich	31	27	34	27	119
Kennedy	64	40	60	40	204
Leichhardt ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Logan	17	20	16	11	64
Mackay	22	20	32	32	106
Maranoa	16	18	11	7	52
Marathon	7	4	2	3	16
Maryborough	23	30	26	21	100
Moreton West	21	39	32	28	120
Mount Morgan	10	18	15	8	51
Oxley	7	11	3	12	33
Palmer ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Downs	1	...	...	...	1
Rockhampton	36	31	24	29	120
Somerset	12	4	1	4	21
Springsure	7	3	5	9	24
Stanley	3	...	3	4	10
Stanthorpe	5	7	5	2	19
St. Lawrence ... ..	...	...	...	...	...
Tambo ... ..	...	3	1	1	5
Taroom	3	2	1	3	9
Tiaro	2	1	4	2	9
Toowong	8	4	10	2	24
Townsville	36	28	40	28	132
Warrego	1	...	1	2	4
Warwick	19	24	17	14	74
Westwood	9	9	9	9	36
Wide Bay	12	11	8	10	41
Woothakata ... ..	...	...	...	2	2
TOTALS	880	950	870	888	3,588

MARRIAGES.

Table No. IX.

SHOWING the NUMBER of MARRIAGES of each DENOMINATION REGISTERED in each REGISTRY DISTRICT during the YEAR 1906.

Registry District.	Church of England.	Roman Catholic Church.	Methodist.	Presbyterian.	Baptist.	Lutheran.	Congregational.	Salvation Army.	Other Christian Sects.	Hebrew.	By Registrar and Justices Marrying Act.	Total.
Aramac	10	5	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21
Balonne	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	10
Blackall	10	12	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27
Bowen	9	7	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	25
Brisbane	175	207	82	104	81	30	38	4	144	3	39	907
Bundaberg	24	11	32	24	...	9	...	1	...	...	2	103
Burke	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	7
Burnett	11	16	17	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	59
Caboolture	9	3	36	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	53
Cairns	50	42	6	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	114
Cardwell	4	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	12
Charleville	18	4	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	31
Clermont	2	3	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11
Cloncurry	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	10
Cook	13	14	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36
Croydon	15	10	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	31
Cunnamulla	6	4	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	20
Dalby	10	11	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	24
Darling Downs Central	12	5	8	12	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	41
Darling Downs East	13	4	2	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36
Darling Downs North	9	1	10	2	...	8	2	...	...	...	...	32
Darling Downs West	2	3	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	12
Diamantina	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Drayton and Toowoomba	45	44	15	26	12	22	2	1	...	...	2	169
Enoggera	42	...	15	18	17	...	6	1	12	...	13	124
Etheridge	5	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9
Fassifern	7	2	14	...	6	12	2	...	...	...	...	43
Gladstone	7	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	24
Gympie	17	29	31	15	5	...	2	...	1	...	4	104
Herberton	12	15	30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	57
Highfields	3	...	14	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	21
Hughenden	7	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	14
Ipswich	14	34	17	12	4	2	18	...	1	...	17	119
Kennedy	31	39	60	37	9	2	...	2	...	...	24	204
Leichhardt	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Logan	17	12	9	5	4	12	3	1	...	...	1	64
Mackay	33	24	14	30	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	106
Maranoa	25	11	4	8	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	52
Marathon	2	7	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	16
Maryborough	13	16	23	12	8	8	12	1	4	...	3	100
Moreton West	14	19	31	7	12	21	14	...	2	...	...	120
Mount Morgan	8	9	15	13	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	51
Oxley	4	2	3	7	1	4	6	...	1	...	5	33
Palmer	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Peak Downs	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Rockhampton	24	30	24	19	20	...	1	2	...	...	...	120
Somerset	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	6	21
Springsure	13	4	2	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24
Stanley	6	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	10
Stanthorpe	10	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19
St. Lawrence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tambo	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
Taroom	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9
Tiaro	2	...	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9
Toowong	12	...	5	4	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	24
Townsville	45	31	18	27	1	...	...	1	...	...	9	132
Warrego	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4
Warwick	16	34	12	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	74
Westwood	4	8	15	5	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	36
Wide Bay	13	2	19	3	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	41
Woothakata	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
TOTALS	877	767	642	487	192	142	109	17	169	3	183	3,588

Table No. X.
SHOWING the BIRTHPLACE or RACE of HUSBANDS and WIVES MARRIED during the YEAR 1906.

BIRTHPLACE OR RACE OF HUSBANDS.				BIRTHPLACE OR RACE OF WIVES.																												
				BIRTHPLACE.																		RACE.					BIRTHPLACE.					Total Husbands
				AUSTRALIAN STATES.						UNITED KINGDOM.				EUROPE.						AMERICA.		India.	China.	Japan.	Other Countries in Asia.	Pacific Islands.	Other British Possessions.	Aboriginal Natives.	Other Countries.	At Sea.	Unspecified.	
				Queensland.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	New Zealand.	England and Wales.	Scotland.	Ireland.	Germany.	Norway.	Sweden.	Denmark.	Italy.	British Possessions in Europe.	Other Countries in Europe.	British America.												United States.	British Africa.
Australian States	Queensland ...	1624	76	24	8	1	2	3	169	42	54	18	...	...	5	1	...	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	8	...	7	...	2,050
	New South Wales ...	196	54	1	2	...	...	...	24	2	11	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	297	
	Victoria ...	74	7	8	...	...	...	1	7	1	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	107	
	South Australia ...	19	2	1	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	28
	Western Australia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Zealand	Tasmania ...	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13
	... ..	14	1	1	1	...	...	1	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	24
United Kingdom	England and Wales ...	311	30	8	5	...	1	6	108	17	22	2	...	1	3	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	520
	Scotland ...	79	9	2	1	...	...	1	20	16	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	137
	Ireland ...	111	11	2	1	...	...	...	19	1	31	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	180
Europe ...	Germany ...	54	5	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	14	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	80
	Norway ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
	Sweden ...	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
	Denmark ...	18	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	28
	Italy ...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
	British Possessions in Europe ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
America	Other Countries in Europe ...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
	British America ...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
British Africa	United States ...	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5
	... ..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Race ...	India ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	China ...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	10
	Japan ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
	Other Countries in Asia ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	17
Other British Possessions	Pacific Islands ...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	9	...	...	...	24
	... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1
Other Countries	... ..	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8
	At Sea ...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11
Unspecified	... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL WIVES ...	2559	197	49	18	1	4	12	371	82	143	43	1	3	12	3	...	10	2	4	2	...	6	2	4	11	6	32	1	10	3,588	

This Table may be read thus:—Following the first line horizontally across the table, it appears that 2,050 men, natives of Queensland, were married during the year, of whom 1,624 were married to Queensland women, 76 to women natives of New South Wales, 24 to natives of Victoria, and so on. Following the first column downwards, it appears that 2,559 women, natives of Queensland, were married, of whom 1,624 were married to men natives of the State, 196 to natives of New South Wales, 74 to Victorians, 19 to natives of South Australia, and so on.

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Table No. XII.

NUMBER of DEATHS of PERSONS of both SEXES REGISTERED during each MONTH of the YEAR ended 31st DECEMBER, 1906, distinguishing AGES at DEATH.

Age Groups.								January.		February.		March.		April.		May.		June.		July.		August.		September.		October.		November.		December.		Total for the Year.		
								Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Under 1 month								22	17	20	9	22	24	17	15	30	18	25	16	31	10	17	14	29	16	24	17	22	10	13	18	272	184	456
1 month and under 2 months								2	4	4	3	5	2	8	5	3	3	6	1	1	2	5	1	...	1	6	3	7	4	3	...	50	29	79
2 months								7	5	3	5	5	7	4	2	4	1	2	1	1	6	2	4	2	1	5	1	4	2	5	3	44	38	82
3 "								14	7	17	6	12	11	9	15	7	2	4	3	3	2	5	4	4	2	10	6	11	7	12	9	108	74	182
6 "								18	22	20	16	17	23	9	7	5	9	7	4	6	6	12	4	7	7	5	5	12	11	7	9	125	123	248
Total under 12 months								63	55	64	39	61	67	47	44	49	33	44	25	42	26	41	27	42	27	50	32	56	34	40	39	599	448	1,047
1 year and under 2 years								10	12	10	6	9	9	5	7	6	7	2	8	2	4	4	5	5	8	8	6	4	4	3	9	68	85	153
2 years								5	2	1	3	1	2	5	1	5	2	3	4	5	6	1	1	7	2	2	3	2	5	3	3	40	34	74
3 "								2	2	4	...	3	...	1	3	5	2	6	1	...	...	2	...	2	2	2	1	...	3	1	1	28	15	43
4 "								4	2	2	2	...	2	2	3	2	1	2	...	1	2	1	1	...	...	2	4	3	...	2	1	21	18	39
Total under 5 years								84	73	81	50	74	80	60	58	67	45	57	38	50	38	49	34	56	39	64	46	65	46	49	53	756	600	1,356
5 years and under 10 years								7	4	5	4	6	4	2	2	10	4	3	6	3	4	2	6	3	6	8	5	4	5	5	1	58	51	109
10 "								2	7	5	1	11	8	4	3	5	3	5	1	3	2	4	3	2	1	2	1	...	5	3	2	46	37	83
15 "								11	9	4	7	9	3	5	5	7	11	2	2	5	5	4	3	3	4	5	6	7	5	7	3	69	63	132
20 "								13	7	10	7	8	9	12	5	6	4	5	6	8	4	9	12	6	11	13	8	10	9	8	1	108	83	191
25 "								13	12	13	8	8	6	10	8	9	3	4	6	16	9	9	9	10	8	11	6	11	5	14	7	128	87	215
30 "								9	4	11	3	17	7	11	2	10	4	12	9	11	6	8	5	18	4	9	9	17	6	16	10	149	69	218
35 "								18	2	13	1	17	5	15	4	22	16	20	8	11	7	16	11	13	10	12	8	14	6	12	6	183	84	267
40 "								21	13	15	2	15	7	15	12	13	3	11	10	13	14	13	9	23	5	19	6	12	11	17	8	187	100	287
45 "								22	7	18	6	16	8	16	6	9	6	11	6	20	7	16	10	8	3	20	8	16	2	14	8	186	77	263
50 "								24	7	15	6	25	7	12	4	18	5	19	4	29	10	18	11	12	4	12	3	20	6	18	2	222	69	291
55 "								16	4	15	8	20	6	14	7	14	11	11	4	8	6	17	9	15	5	14	8	24	7	10	2	178	77	255
60 "								17	7	11	6	16	7	24	8	26	9	19	11	10	10	16	10	18	12	24	7	12	7	12	6	205	100	305
65 "								25	6	20	11	19	7	24	10	16	4	16	10	26	3	17	11	23	5	28	14	20	14	17	18	245	113	358
70 "								32	6	14	3	17	12	24	6	7	10	13	6	20	13	17	11	19	11	18	10	17	6	9	9	207	103	310
75 "								20	8	10	...	6	10	7	8	16	8	6	7	13	4	22	5	13	14	13	3	12	5	14	2	152	74	226
80 "								9	5	3	1	6	5	6	...	6	2	10	5	7	6	8	4	8	6	4	2	6	2	13	6	86	44	130
85 "								3	4	1	1	1	3	1	1	2	...	2	2	5	6	1	9	7	2	3	3	2	3	3	5	31	39	70
90 " upwards								1	...	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	4	6	1	3	3	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	15	13	28
Age not stated								...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	
Total over 5 years								263	112	186	76	217	114	203	91	190	103	170	103	212	122	198	141	204	111	216	107	204	106	193	97	2,456	1,283	3,739
Total all Ages, Male and Female								347	185	267	126	291	194	263	149	257	148	227	141	262	160	247	175	260	150	280	153	269	152	242	150	3,212	1,883	5,095
Total Deaths of Persons each month								532		393		485		412		405		368		422		422		410		433		421		392		5,095		
Percentage to total number of Deaths for the year								10.44		7.71		9.52		8.09		7.95		7.22		8.28		8.28		8.05		8.50		8.26		7.69				
								Males.		Females.		Persons.		Males.		Females.		Persons.		Males.		Females.		Persons.		Males.		Females.		Persons.				
Total Deaths each quarter								905		505		1,410		747		438		1,185		769		485		1,254		791		455		1,246				

DEATHS.

Table No. XIII.

SHOWING the NUMBER of DEATHS REGISTERED in each REGISTRY DISTRICT in each MONTH of the YEAR 1906.

DISTRICT.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		TOTALS.		
	M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		M. F.		Males.	Females.	Persons.
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.			
Aramac	3	2	8	2	5	2	12	3	2	...	...	...	5	3	1	1	2	...	5	1	2	1	2	2	47	17	64
Balonne	4	...	2	2	5	2	3	...	1	...	3	1	3	1	2	2	1	...	...	1	1	...	2	25	11	36	
Blackall	5	4	2	...	5	2	4	1	...	...	5	1	1	1	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	27	9	36	
Bowen	...	1	2	1	1	1	1	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	2	...	2	3	4	...	1	1	20	7	27
Brisbane	80	44	45	26	56	29	56	38	67	43	54	51	63	49	69	57	59	30	71	41	65	31	74	40	759	479	1,238
Bundaberg	9	10	9	8	18	8	5	8	7	5	7	5	9	...	5	6	10	5	6	4	10	2	10	4	105	65	170
Burke	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	8	1	9
Burnett	3	3	2	2	5	2	2	1	6	4	4	3	2	5	1	2	3	2	2	2	1	1	3	4	34	31	65
Caboolture	1	1	2	...	4	...	...	...	1	8	...	3	...	2	2	1	2	1	1	3	2	...	1	...	28	7	35
Cairns	12	1	23	2	17	3	5	3	9	5	4	3	9	1	10	3	9	3	12	2	6	3	13	4	129	33	162
Cardwell	1	1	4	3	4	1	7	...	2	...	2	1	6	2	3	...	5	...	9	...	3	...	3	1	49	9	58
Charleville	4	1	1	1	1	...	7	2	1	4	3	...	2	1	4	4	...	1	1	1	...	2	...	27	14	41	
Clermont	4	...	2	...	3	2	3	3	2	1	4	...	1	1	2	1	1	2	5	1	2	...	1	3	30	14	44
Cloncurry	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	1	...	13	4	17	
Cook	6	...	8	2	2	1	2	3	4	1	4	1	3	...	5	2	2	3	2	2	7	1	3	2	48	18	66
Croydon	2	2	7	3	3	2	...	1	5	4	2	2	1	2	7	4	3	2	1	1	2	2	...	1	33	26	59
Cunnamulla	7	2	2	...	2	2	...	4	3	2	2	...	2	...	5	2	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	27	13	40	
Dalby	3	5	1	1	1	1	...	3	...	...	2	3	...	...	1	1	2	2	3	...	2	...	2	1	17	17	34
Darling Downs Central	4	3	4	1	4	5	2	1	4	2	1	3	5	2	5	...	2	6	1	3	3	2	4	2	39	30	69
Darling Downs East	1	2	...	3	...	1	1	2	2	2	1	...	2	...	2	3	2	1	3	1	4	...	2	...	18	15	33
Darling Downs North	3	4	3	...	3	1	5	1	2	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	2	...	2	2	1	1	2	...	26	13	39
Darling Downs West	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	9	2	11
Diamantina	2	...	4	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	2	1	1	1	2	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	17	4	21	
Drayton and Toowoomba	11	5	14	5	16	10	9	5	6	5	10	12	11	8	7	2	12	8	7	10	14	7	13	9	130	86	216
Enoggera	8	7	6	3	7	8	7	6	7	4	6	4	8	3	3	8	7	11	9	9	5	13	4	9	77	85	162
Etheridge	...	...	...	...	4	1	1	...	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	...	...	2	2	2	1	2	...	15	7	22	
Fassifern	1	1	...	3	3	4	...	...	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	4	2	1	...	2	3	...	18	18	36	
Gladstone	...	...	3	...	3	1	2	2	3	...	1	6	2	...	5	3	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	25	11	36	
Gympie	11	10	7	2	9	6	7	5	9	8	6	2	9	4	3	6	7	4	8	2	5	9	4	4	85	62	147
Herberton	13	1	4	2	9	4	6	1	5	1	1	...	3	2	8	1	4	3	6	5	6	1	6	4	71	25	96
Highfields	...	...	2	...	1	3	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	1	...	2	3	1	...	2	2	1	18	8	26
Hughenden	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	...	5	1	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	3	2	1	...	3	...	21	6	27	
Ipswich	8	7	7	2	7	6	2	1	3	11	2	6	8	9	5	9	4	10	3	9	9	4	4	4	87	55	142
Kennedy	20	12	16	9	18	14	10	4	11	9	9	2	14	9	12	6	12	2	16	6	14	7	12	5	164	85	249
Leichhardt	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	3	4
Logan	2	2	5	1	2	3	1	1	5	1	2	6	4	3	2	3	3	1	1	2	2	3	6	2	35	28	63
Mackay	19	8	3	6	9	4	5	1	9	3	6	1	8	4	3	3	10	2	8	2	13	4	6	2	99	40	139
Maranoa	6	1	3	2	4	9	10	5	4	2	1	1	3	4	6	6	4	2	3	1	3	2	4	2	51	37	88
Marathon	2	1	...	...	1	8	...	4	...	3	1	3	...	1	...	4	1	2	...	...	1	3	...	30	5	35	
Maryborough	9	2	3	4	7	2	3	2	3	5	8	2	3	7	4	3	5	6	7	3	3	3	3	3	58	42	100
Moreton West	9	3	6	3	7	7	1	6	...	4	9	7	8	4	5	5	3	3	7	4	6	3	7	4	68	53	121
Mount Morgan	3	2	5	2	4	7	5	3	3	2	5	2	5	6	4	2	7	4	2	3	4	3	2	4	46	41	87
Oxley	10	3	4	4	7	3	5	3	12	2	4	1	7	4	8	6	4	3	9	5	5	5	7	8	82	47	129
Palmer	2	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	8
Peak Downs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
Rockhampton	11	19	14	5	8	9	19	4	7	7	4	6	5	6	4	6	11	6	6	6	19	10	8	7	116	91	207
Somerset	2	...	3	...	5	1	6	2	1	1	1	...	2	...	6	...	3	...	5	...	2	...	1	...	37	4	41
Springure	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	4	4	3	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	12	6	18
Stanley	2	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	2	3	13	5	18
Stanthorpe	2	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	11
St. Lawrence	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
Tambo	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	1	5
Taroom	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	6
Tiaro	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	4	9
Toowong	3	2	4	...	...	1	3	2	4	3	1	2	2	1	2	4	3	1	...	1	4	...	2	24	23	47	
Townsville	10	5	10	2	7	11	10	15	6	...	13	2	16	2	12	8	17	12	17	8	12	11	3	4	133	80	213
Warrego	4	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	10	2	12
Warwick	7	1	2	3	4	6	4	1	3	2	1	3	3	2	3	...	2	2	2	2	1	1	4	1	36	24	60
Westwood	7	1	3	4	4	7	5	1	3	2	1	2	4	1	2	4	4	1	6	1	1	...	4	3	44	27	71
Wide Bay	2	2	1	3	2	2	1	...	3	...	1	1	1	4	2	...	4	2	2	4	4	1	1	3	24	22	46
Woothakata	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	14	4	18
TOTALS OF MONTHS	347	185	267	126	291	194	263	149	257	148	227	141	262	160	247	175	260	150	280	153	269	152	242	150			
TOTALS OF QUARTERS—	905		...		...		747		...		...		769		...		485		791		...		455		3,212	1,883	...
Male	...		...		505		...		...		438		...		...		485		...								

DEATHS.

Table No. XIV.

SHOWING the NUMBER of DEATHS of CHILDREN under FIVE YEARS of AGE REGISTERED during the YEAR 1906.

REGISTRY DISTRICT.	UNDER TWO YEARS.		TWO YEARS AND UNDER FIVE YEARS.		TOTAL UNDER FIVE YEARS.		TOTAL NUMBER OF DEATHS IN EACH DISTRICT UNDER FIVE YEARS.
	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
Aramac	16	11	...	1	16	12	28
Balonne	8	6	1	...	9	6	15
Blackall	4	6	1	1	5	7	12
Bowen	2	2	1	...	3	2	5
Brisbane	136	103	18	15	154	118	272
Bundaberg	32	24	2	1	34	25	59
Burke	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Burnett	9	10	3	...	12	10	22
Caboolture	8	2	2	...	10	2	12
Cairns	22	14	...	2	22	16	38
Cardwell	3	5	1	1	4	6	10
Charleville	5	4	1	...	6	4	10
Clermont	1	4	2	...	3	4	7
Cloncurry	3	1	1	...	4	1	5
Cook	6	...	...	2	6	2	8
Croydon	8	14	...	2	8	16	24
Cunnamulla	6	5	3	1	9	6	15
Dalby	3	2	1	...	4	2	6
Darling Downs Central ...	14	7	...	1	14	8	22
Darling Downs East ...	4	6	...	...	4	6	10
Darling Downs North ...	5	7	2	...	7	7	14
Darling Downs West ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1
Diamantina	1	2	...	1	1	3	4
Drayton and Toowoomba ...	34	26	3	...	37	26	63
Enoggera	40	35	1	1	41	36	77
Etheridge ... ..	...	2	...	...	...	2	2
Fassifern	7	4	1	...	8	4	12
Glaistone	4	3	...	1	4	4	8
Gympie	19	20	1	3	20	23	43
Herberton	8	10	4	2	12	12	24
Highfields	6	2	...	...	6	2	8
Hughenden	1	3	...	...	1	3	4
Ipswich	11	13	1	3	12	16	28
Kennedy	36	23	7	1	43	24	67
Leichhardt ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	1
Logan	11	3	...	4	11	7	18
Mackay	13	14	2	4	15	18	33
Maranoa	13	12	...	...	13	12	25
Marathon	5	2	...	...	5	2	7
Maryborough	9	4	5	1	14	5	19
Moreton West	21	15	3	2	24	17	41
Mount Morgan	13	15	1	3	14	18	32
Oxley	10	5	1	...	11	5	16
Palmer	1	...	...	...	1	...	1
Peak Downs ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rockhampton	24	28	4	4	28	32	60
Somerset	2	2	...	1	2	3	5
Springsure	3	2	1	...	4	2	6
Stanley	5	1	1	...	6	1	7
Stanthorpe	2	2	...	...	2	2	4
St. Lawrence ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tambo ... ..	...	1	...	...	...	1	1
Taroom	1	1	1	...	2	1	3
Tiaro	2	1	...	...	2	1	3
Toowong	5	6	1	1	6	7	13
Townsville	31	23	7	5	38	28	66
Warrego ... ..	...	2	...	...	...	2	2
Warwick	12	6	...	1	12	7	19
Westwood	11	8	3	1	14	9	23
Wide Bay	5	2	1	...	6	2	8
Woothakata	5	2	...	...	5	2	7
TOTALS	667	533	89	67	756	600	1,356

APPENDIX TO GOVERNMENT STATISTICIAN'S REPORT.

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Table No. XVII.
CAUSES of DEATHS in QUEENSLAND during the YEAR 1906, arranged in order of degree of FATALITY.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	No. of Deaths, Males and Females, Registered from each Cause.		Total Deaths from each Cause in 1906.	Total Deaths from each Cause in 1905.	Increase or — Decrease in 1906.	CAUSE OF DEATH.	No. of Deaths, Males and Females, Registered from each Cause.		Total Deaths from each Cause in 1906.	Total Deaths from each Cause in 1905.	Increase or — Decrease in 1906.
	Males.	Females.					Males.	Females.			
Phthisis, Tuberculous Phthisis	252	109	361	397	— 36	Otherwise, or not stated	16	3	19	33	— 14
Gastro Enteritis	171	138	309	250	59	(Accident)					
Carcinoma, Sarcoma, Cancer,	167	125	292	351	— 59	By Firearms (Suicide) ...	19	...	19	33	— 14
Malignant Disease						Septicæmia (not Puerperal)	12	6	18	22	— 4
Valvular Disease, Endocardi-	156	74	230	252	— 22	Epilepsy	9	9	18	38	— 20
tis (not Infective)						Paraplegia and Disease of	11	6	17	17	...
Premature Birth	121	79	200	149	51	Cord					
Old Age	103	76	179	196	— 17	Teething	7	9	16	28	— 12
Chronic Bright's Disease,	118	58	176	160	16	Lobar, Croupous-pneumonia	9	7	16	18	— 2
Albuminuria						Digestive System, Other Dis-	7	9	16	17	— 1
Pneumonia	94	73	167	228	— 61	eases					
Bronchitis	80	66	146	153	— 7	By Cutting Instruments	16	...	16	15	1
Syncope, Heart Disease (not	67	53	120	103	17	(Suicide)					
Specified)						Plague	12	...	12	27	— 15
Drowning (Accident) ...	85	17	102	70	32	Dilatation of Heart ...	11	3	14	22	— 8
Convulsions	52	38	90	116	— 26	Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	7	7	14	18	— 4
Congenital Defects ...	52	38	90	77	13	Skin Diseases, Other ...	11	3	14	18	— 4
Diarrhœa, Choleraic Diarrhœa	50	39	89	62	27	By Drowning (Suicide) ...	10	4	14	16	— 2
Enteric Fever	57	31	88	95	— 7	Softening of Brain ...	11	2	13	16	— 3
Cerebral Hæmorrhage (Emb.	50	35	85	76	9	Insanity (not Puerperal) ...	8	5	13	8	5
and Throm.)						Tubercle of Other Organs ...	9	3	12	13	— 1
Enteritis (not Epidemic) ...	44	30	74	106	— 32	Opium, Morphia Habit ...	12	...	12	3	9
Meningitis, Inflammation of	39	23	62	65	— 3	Rheumatic Fever, Acute	5	7	12	24	— 12
Brain						Rheumatism					
Apoplexy, Hemiplegia ...	37	25	62	70	— 8	By Hanging or Strangulation	11	1	12	9	3
Alcoholism, Delirium Tremens	49	12	61	46	15	(Suicide)					
Influenza	28	31	59	53	6	Erysipelas	7	4	11	9	2
Nervous System, Other	33	19	52	56	— 4	General Paralysis of Insane	8	3	11	9	2
Diseases						Croup (not Spasmodic or	6	5	11	6	5
Nephritis, Acute	26	23	49	40	9	Membranous)					
Emphysema, Asthma ...	31	15	46	61	— 15	Gener and Mam. Organs,	4	7	11	6	5
Liver and Gall, Bladder,	27	19	46	47	— 1	Other Diseases					
Other Diseases						Railways (Accident) ...	11	...	11	11	...
Dysentery	27	16	43	45	— 2	Suffocation (Accident) ...	9	2	11	8	3
Stomach, Other Diseases (not	19	24	43	41	2	Weapons and Instruments	9	2	11	8	3
Malignant)						(Accident)					
Horses, &c. (Accident) ...	42	...	42	49	— 7	Tuberculous Meningitis ...	3	7	10	14	— 4
Cirrhosis of Liver	26	15	41	39	2	Ptomaine Poisoning ...	6	4	10	9	1
Diphtheria, Membranous	21	18	39	40	— 1	Senile Gangrene	6	4	10	10	...
Croup						Gastric Ulcer	5	5	10	14	— 4
Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular	23	16	39	65	— 26	Puerperal Convulsions ...	...	10	10	7	3
Pneumonia						Placenta Prævia, Flooding ...	...	10	10	13	— 3
Bladder and Prostate Disease	37	2	39	52	— 13	Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Ure-	9	...	9	7	2
Burns and Scalds (Accident)	14	25	39	54	— 15	thra					
Tetanus	28	10	38	34	4	Puerperal Septicæmia, Sap-	...	9	9	19	— 10
Diabetes Mellitus	18	17	35	35	...	ræmia					
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia ...	21	13	34	38	— 4	Ankylostoma	4	5	9	3	6
Urinary System, Other Dis-	23	10	33	24	9	Embolism, Thrombosis (not	3	6	9	7	2
eases						Cerebral)					
By Poison (Suicide) ...	21	12	33	21	12	Mouth, Pharynx Disease	6	3	9	8	1
Aneurism	25	5	30	29	1	(not Specified)					
Malarial Fever	20	9	29	38	— 9	Uterine Tumour (not	...	9	9	7	2
Privation, Starvation, &c. ...	29	...	29	18	11	Malignant)					
Pleurisy	19	9	28	25	3	Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca ...	7	2	9	8	1
Fatty Degeneration of Heart	12	14	26	31	— 5	Other Ill-defined Causes ...	7	2	9	9	...
Blood Vessels, Other Diseases	20	6	26	10	16	Machinery (Accident) ...	8	1	9	7	2
Appendicitis, Perityphlitis ...	17	9	26	29	— 3	Murder (by Whites) ...	6	3	9	8	1
Falls, Otherwise (Accident)	18	8	26	18	8	Beri Beri	8	...	8	22	— 14
Atelectasis	15	10	25	17	8	Whooping Cough	5	3	8	10	— 2
In Mines or Quarries	25	...	25	28	— 3	Purpura	1	7	8	8	...
(Accident)						Angina Pectoris	4	4	8	5	3
Dengue Fever	15	9	24	201	—177	Other Diseases of Intestines	5	3	8	12	— 4
Syphilis	15	9	24	20	4	Other Diseases of Uterus and	...	8	8	5	3
Injury at Birth	14	10	24	27	— 3	Vagina					
Want of Breast Milk ...	14	10	24	22	2	Pyæmia (not Puerperal) ...	6	1	7	4	3
Respiratory Diseases, Other	13	10	23	38	— 15	Tuberculous Peritonitis ...	6	1	7	6	1
Intestinal Obstruction ...	13	10	23	23	...	Rheumatic Arthritis, Rheu-	5	2	7	7	...
Other Vehicles (Accident) ...	19	4	23	33	— 10	matic Gout					
Weather, Sunstroke and Heat	17	6	23	36	— 13	Otitis, Mastoid Disease ...	6	1	7	9	— 2
Apoplexy						Gastric Catarrh	6	1	7	5	2
General Tuberculosis ...	19	2	21	33	— 12	Weather (Lightning) ...	5	2	7	3	4
Hernia	15	6	21	16	5	Phlegmon, Carbuncle (not	3	3	6	7	— 1
Chronic Rheumatism ...	16	4	20	23	— 3	Anthrax)					
Brain Tumour (not Specific)	16	4	20	20	...	Other Animal Parasites ...	5	1	6	2	4
Tabes Mesenterica	15	4	19	15	4	Calculus (not Biliary) ...	4	2	6	7	— 1
Pregnancy and Childbirth,	...	19	19	18	1	Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	4	2	6	10	— 4
Other Accidents of						(Accident)					
Atrophy, Debility	9	10	19	28	— 9	Snake Bites	5	1	6	...	6

Table No. XVII.—continued.

CAUSES OF DEATHS in QUEENSLAND during the YEAR 1906, arranged in order of degree of FATALITY—continued.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	No. of Deaths, Males and Females. Registered from each Cause.		Total Deaths from each Cause in 1906.	Total Deaths from each Cause in 1905.	Increase or —Decrease in 1906.	CAUSE OF DEATH.	No. of Deaths, Males and Females. Registered from each Cause		Total Deaths from each Cause in 1906.	Total Deaths from each Cause in 1905.	Increase or —Decrease in 1906.
	Males.	Females.					Males.	Females.			
Murder by Coloured Persons	6	...	6	4	2	Simple Continued Fever ...	2	...	2	...	2
Measles (Morbili) ...	2	3	5	1	4	Rickets ...	1	1	2	2	...
Arthritis, Periostitis ...	3	2	5	2	3	Epid. Diarrhœa, Epid. (or	2	...	2	11	— 9
Locomotor Ataxy ...	5	...	5	7	— 2	Zym.) Enteritis	...	...	...	...	...
Neuritis, Periph. and Poly.	2	2	4	2	2	Lupus ...	1	1	2	...	2
Neuritus	...	...	...	...	...	Gout ...	2	...	2	4	— 2
Hypertrophy of Heart ...	3	1	4	3	1	Pericarditis ...	...	2	2	11	— 9
Laryngitis ...	4	...	4	10	— 6	Phlebitis ...	...	2	2	3	— 1
Lymphatic System, Other	4	...	4	2	2	Thyroid Body Disease ...	...	2	2	3	— 1
Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	Hæmorrhage ...	2	...	2	...	2
Caries, Necrosis ...	3	1	4	6	— 2	Manslaughter ...	2	...	2	1	1
Ulcer, Bedsore ...	1	3	4	2	2	Execution ...	2	...	2	2	...
Causes not Specified ...	4	...	4	7	— 3	Chicken Pox ...	1	...	1	1	...
By Other Means (Suicide) ...	3	1	4	1	3	Scarlet Fever ...	...	1	1	1	...
Infective Endocarditis ...	3	...	3	3	...	Puerperal Fever ...	...	1	1	3	— 2
Hydatids ...	1	2	3	1	2	Phagedæna ...	1	...	1	...	1
Scurvy ...	2	1	3	3	...	Chorea ...	...	1	1	3	— 2
Chronic Poisoning (not	1	2	3	4	— 1	Varicose Veins ...	1	...	1	...	1
Intentional)	...	...	...	...	...	Tonsilitis, Quinsy ...	...	1	1	4	— 3
Hæmophilia, Hæmorrhagic	1	2	3	2	1	Disorders of Menstruation ...	...	1	1	2	— 1
Diathesis	...	...	...	...	...	Puerperal Mania ...	...	1	1	...	1
Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)	...	3	3	1	2	Pemphigus ...	1	...	1	1	...
Abortion, Miscarriage ...	...	3	3	6	— 3	Tumour ...	...	1	1	1	...
Locomotor System, Other	3	...	3	8	— 5	Tramways (Accident) ...	1	...	1	2	— 1
Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	Building Operations (Accident)	1	...	1	1	...
Eczema ...	3	...	3	4	— 1	Deaths from Causes in 1905	...	...	...	25	— 25
Abscess ...	1	2	3	...	3	not occurring in 1906	...	...	...	...	...
Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	3	...	3	7	— 4	TOTAL ...	3,212	1,883	5,095	5,503	—408

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906.

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TABLE No. XVIII,—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.		
																							Males.	Females.	Persons.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																									
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																									
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain ...	10	2	3	1	5	21	2	2	4	1	2	1	...	3	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	39	23	62
2. Softening of Brain ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	2	13
3. General Paralysis of Insane ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	3	11
4. Insanity (not Puerperal) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	5	13
5. Chorea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Epilepsy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Convulsions ...	42	6	...	4	...	52	1	...	1	2	1	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	9	9	18
8. Laryngismus Stridulus ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Locomotor Ataxy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	5	...	5
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord ...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	...	1	1	1	1	11	6	17
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific) ...	...	...	1	1	...	2	1	1	...	1	2	...	2	3	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	16	4	20
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases ...	1	1	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	4	2	7	3	1	3	3	...	3	2	1	33	19	52
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																									
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease ...	1	...	...	1	1	3	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	7
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																									
1. Valv. Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective) ...	...	...	...	1	1	2	3	4	4	3	1	7	13	15	10	11	15	15	17	10	26	156	74	230
2. Pericarditis	2	2	2
3. Hypertrophy of Heart ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
4. Angina Pectoris ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	8
5. Dilatation of Heart ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	...	11	3	14
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	1	3	2	...	12	14	26
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified) ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	5	5	4	5	2	10	16	12	4	...	67	53	120
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																									
1. Cerebral Hemorrhage (Emb. Throm.) ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	1	1	3	4	4	4	3	8	9	8	50	35	85
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	2	2	1	7	4	7	11	...	37	25	62
3. Aneurism ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	1	3	4	2	1	1	1	...	25	5	30
4. Senile Gangrene ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	10
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral) ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6	9
6. Phlebitis	2	2	2
7. Varicose Veins ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	2	1	3	2	6	2	20	6	26
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																									
1. Laryngitis ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous) ...	2	1	3	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	11
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Bronchitis ...	11	1	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	4	3	7	12	12	26	...	80	66	146
6. Lobar, Croupous Pneumonia ...	2	1	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	9	7	16
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia ...	10	2	1	...	...	13	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	16	39
8. Pneumonia ...	6	4	...	1	1	12	3	...	5	...	6	...	6	5	8	7	7	9	4	3	13	94	73	167	
9. Emphysema, Asthma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	1	3	...	2	7	2	9	2	...	31	15	46
10. Pleurisy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	3	...	3	2	...	1	5	1	...	19	9	28
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other ...	4	1	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	2	2	1	1	13	10	23
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																									
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy	1	1	1
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified) ...	2	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	9
3. Gastric Ulcer ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	10
4. Gastric Catarrh ...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	7
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant) ...	4	1	2	...	...	7	...	1	...	...	...	1	4	...	1	...	1	1	2	1	...	19	24	43
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic) ...	18	3	6	...	...	28	...	...	...	1	2	...	2	...	1	2	4	...	3	...	...	44	30	74
7. Gastro Enteritis ...	141	16	3	1	1	162	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	171	138	309
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	4	...	3	1	1	...	1	2	1	2	3	4	1	...	17	9	26
9. Hernia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	2	3	4	1	...	15	6	21
10. Intestinal Obstruction ...	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	2	...	13	10	23
11. Other Diseases of Intestines ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	8
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal) ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	7	7	14
13. Cirrhosis of Liver ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	3	5	3	1	1	3	2	...	26	15	41
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases ...	4	...	1	...	...	5	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	3	2	3	...	5	...	...	27	19	46	
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases ...	5	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	7	9	16	
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																									
1. Spleen Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	4
3. Thyroid Body Disease	2	...	2
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																									
1. Nephritis, Acute ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	2	3	...	1	4	1	...	3	3	1	2	1	1	26	23	49
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	3	7	4	2	4	8	9	15	10	11	16	16	9	118	58	176
3. Calculus (not Biliary) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	4	2	6
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	4	3	7	18	37	2	39
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases ...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	2	...	1	1	3	1	1	2	5	4	...	23	10	33
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																									
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)	3	...	3
2. Other Diseases of Ovary ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant)	9	...	9
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	8	...	8
5. Disorders of Menstruation	1	...	1
6. Gener. and Mam. Orgs., Other Diseases	1	...	1	1	1	4	7	...	11
SUB-CLASS 10.—ACCIDENT OF CHILDBIRTH.																									
1. Abortion, Miscarriage	3	...	3
2. Puerperal Mania	1	...	1
3. Puerperal Convulsions	10	...	10
4. Placenta Prævia, Flooding	10	...	10
5. Other Accidents of Pregnancy, and Childbirth	19	...	19

TABLE No. XVIII.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906—continued.																										
CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.			
																							Males.	Females.	Persons.	
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— <i>continued.</i>																										
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																										
1. Caries, Necrosis								1	1		1												3	1	4	
2. Arthritis, Periostitis			1			1	1														1		3	2	5	
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases														1									3		3	
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																										
1. Ulcer, Bedsore																					1		1	3	4	
2. Eczema	3					3																3		3		
3. Pemphigus		1				1																1		1		
4. Skin Diseases, Other	1					1			1		1	1			1	3	2			1		11	3	14		
TOTAL CLASS II.	276	41	24	15	12	368	22	16	30	32	39	45	71	76	77	96	81	103	135	133	159		1,483	1,005	2,488	
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																										
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																										
1. Atrophy, Debility	8		1			9																	9	10	19	
2. Old Age																	1	6	16	22	53		103	76	179	
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca																	1		1	1			7	2	9	
4. Tumour																								1	1	
5. Abscess																								1	2	
6. Hæmorrhage										1										1			2		2	
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)																										
8. Other ill-defined Causes	1					1							2		2		1	1					7	2	9	
9. Causes not Specified	2					2					1							1					4		4	
TOTAL CLASS IV.	11		1			12	1			1	1	1	2		2	1	3	8	19	23	59		133	93	226	
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																										
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																										
1. In Mines or Quarries									1	4	3	3	3	3	1	5				2			25		25	
2. Railways									1	3			2		1	1	1	1	1				11		11	
3. Tramways				1		1																	1		1	
4. Other Vehicles					1	1			5	2		2	1	1	1	1		2	2		1		19	4	23	
5. Horses, &c.																										
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)									1	3	3	5	5	4	1	3	2	4	4	3	2	2	42		42	
7. Building Operations															1	1	1						3		3	
8. Machinery											1	2	2		1			1	1				1	1	9	
9. Weapons and Implements									2	3	1	1		2									9	2	11	
10. Burns and Scalds	1	2	3	2		8			2												2		14	25	39	
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours		1	1			2																	4	2	6	
12. Drowning			1	2	1	4	10	9	3	9	6	9	6		2	6	5	5	5		1		85	17	102	
13. Suffocation	4					4										2			1	1	1		9	2	11	
14. Falls (Otherwise)		1			1	2		1		1	1	1	2			1	1	1	1	2	4		18	8	26	
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	1	1	1			3						3	1	2	1	2	1	1	2	1		17	6	23		
16. Weather—Lightning																						5	2	7		
17. Weather—Other																										
18. Snake Bites							1	2	1											1			5	1	6	
19. Insect Bites																										
20. Otherwise, or not stated					1	1			1	1		3		3	1	2	2	1	1				16	3	19	
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																										
1. Murder {a By Whites	1					1				1	2			1	1								6	3	9	
2. {b By Coloured Persons							1				2		1			2							6		6	
3. Justifiable Homicide																1	1						2		2	
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																										
1. By Poison											1	2	2	3	3	6		1	2	1			21	12	33	
2. By Asphyxia																										
3. By Hanging or Strangulation										2			1	1		3	2			2			11	1	12	
4. By Drowning										1	2		2		1	1	2			1			10	4	14	
5. By Firearms											2	2	2	1	2	4	3	1	2				19		19	
6. By Cutting Instruments																										
7. By Jumping from High Places											1	1	5	3	2	2	1	1					16		16	
8. By Crushing																										
9. By Other Means											1		1						1				3	1	4	
SUB-CLASS 4.																										
1. Execution												1	1										2		2	
TOTAL CLASS V.	7	5	6	5	4	27	13	17	22	29	27	37	37	28	23	41	22	21	21	10	13		388	94	482	
TOTAL DEATHS OF MALES FROM ALL CAUSES	599	68	40	28	21	756	58	46	69	108	128	149	183	187	186	222	178	205	245	207	284	1	3,212	1,883	5,095	

TABLE No. XIX.

CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906.

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TABLE No. XIX.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.				
																							Females.	Males.	Persons.		
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																											
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	9	5	2	...	1	17	2	1	1	1	1	23	39	62		
2. Softening of Brain	1	1	1	...	2	11	13		
3. General Paralysis of Insane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	11
4. Insanity (not Puerperal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	5	8	13
5. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
6. Epilepsy	...	1	...	1	1	3	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	9	18
7. Convulsions	32	1	3	1	...	37	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	52	90
8. Laryngismus Stridulus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Locomotor Ataxy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	6	11	17
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	2	4
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	4	16	20
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	2	...	2	1	1	2	2	2	4	19	33	52
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																											
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	7
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																											
1. Valv. Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	3	2	7	2	3	5	7	2	1	13	4	9	10	74	156	230
2. Pericarditis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
3. Hypertrophy of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	4
4. Angina Pectoris	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	4	4	8
5. Dilatation of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	3	11	14
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	2	1	1	4	1	1	14	12	26
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	3	3	5	2	2	4	8	6	8	8	...	53	67	120
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																											
1. Cerebral Hemorrhage (Emb. Throm.)	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	2	3	5	5	3	6	6	35	50	85
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	1	3	4	2	10	...	25	37	62
3. Aneurism	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	25	30
4. Senile Gangrene	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	4	6	10
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	6	3	9
6. Phlebitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	2
7. Varicose Veins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	6	20	26
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																											
1. Laryngitis	4	...	4		
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous)	...	2	2	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6	11
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Bronchitis	16	8	1	1	...	26	3	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	2	...	7	10	11	66	80	146
6. Lobar, Croupous Pneumonia	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	7	9	16
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia	6	4	2	1	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	16	23	39
8. Pneumonia	15	7	2	...	2	26	3	2	2	3	3	2	6	3	3	2	5	5	3	5	...	73	94	167			
9. Emphysema, Asthma	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	2	3	2	1	4	...	15	31	46
10. Pleurisy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	9	19	28
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other	2	1	...	...	1	4	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	10	13	23
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified)	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6	9
3. Gastric Ulcer	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	10
4. Gastric Catarrh	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	7
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant)	6	2	1	...	...	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	1	3	2	4	24	19	43
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic)	9	8	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	30	44	74
7. Gastro Enteritis	103	20	6	...	...	129	3	1	1	1	1	1	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	138	171	309
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	17	26
9. Hernia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	3	...	6	15	21
10. Intestinal Obstruction	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	2	...	4	10	13	23
11. Other Diseases of Intestines	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	5	8
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	7	7	14
13. Cirrhosis of Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	26	41
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases	5	1	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	1	...	3	...	1	1	2	1	19	27	46
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases	4	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	9	7	16
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																											
1. Spleen Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Thyroid Body Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	4
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																											
1. Nephritis, Acute	2	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	23	26	49
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	11	3	3	4	8	5	4	2	3	3	6	2	4	...	58	118	176
3. Calculus (not Biliary)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	4	6
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	37	39
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	1	...	10	23	33
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	3
2. Other Diseases of Ovary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	9	...	9
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	8	...	8
5. Disorders of Menstruation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
6. Gener. and Mam. Orgs., Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	11	
SUB-CLASS 10.—ACCIDENTS OF CHILDBIRTH.																											
1. Abortion, Miscarriage	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
2. Puerperal Mania	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					

TABLE No. XIX,—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.					Total under 5 years															Unspecified.	TOTALS.		
	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	5 to 10.		10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.		Females.	Males.	Persons.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																								
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																								
1. Caries, Necrosis	1	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases	3	3	
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																								
1. Ulcer, Bedsore	1	...	...	...	2	...	3	1	4	
2. Eczema	3	3	
3. Pemphigus	1	1	
4. Skin Diseases, Other	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	11	14	
TOTAL CLASS II.	215	63	20	5	8	311	26	17	28	41	45	34	45	52	38	36	42	65	69	66	90	1,005	1,483	2,488
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																								
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																								
1. Atrophy, Debility	8	1	1	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	9	19
2. Old Age	2	7	4	13	50	76	103	179	
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	7	9	
4. Tumour	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
5. Abscess	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3
6. Haemorrhage	2	2	
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)	
8. Other Ill-defined Causes	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	7	9	
9. Causes not Specified	4	4	
TOTAL CLASS IV.	9	1	1	...	11	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	...	3	7	4	13	51	93	133	226
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																								
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																								
1. In Mines or Quarries	25	25	
2. Railways	11	11	
3. Tramways	1	1	
4. Other Vehicles	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	19	23	
5. Horses, &c.	42	42	
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	3	3	
7. Building Operations	1	1	
8. Machinery	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	9	
9. Weapons and Implements	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9	
10. Burns and Scalds	2	4	2	1	9	3	2	5	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	25	14	
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	
12. Drowning	2	1	...	3	2	2	4	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	17	85	
13. Suffocation	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	9	
14. Falls (Otherwise)	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	4	...	8	11	
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	4	...	...	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	17	
16. Weather—Lightning	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	5		
17. Weather—Other	
18. Snake Bites	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5		
19. Insect Bites	
20. Otherwise, or not stated	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	16		
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																								
1. Murder { a By Whites	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	6	9
2. Manslaughter	6	6	
3. Justifiable Homicide	2	2	
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																								
1. By Poison	1	2	2	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	12	21	33	
2. By Asphyxia	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. By Hanging or Strangulation	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	11	12	
4. By Drowning	4	10	14	
5. By Firearms	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	19	19	
6. By Cutting Instruments	16	16	
7. By Jumping from High Places	
8. By Crushing	
9. By Other Means	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	
SUB-CLASS 4.																								
1. Execution	2	2	
TOTAL CLASS V.	7	2	6	5	2	22	6	7	13	6	8	2	3	7	4	2	...	1	4	4	5	94	388	482
TOTAL DEATHS OF FEMALES FROM ALL CAUSES	448	85	34	15	18	600	51	37	63	83	87	69	84	100	77	69	77	100	113	103	170	1,883	3,212	5,095

TABLE No. XX.

CAUSES of DEATHS of PERSONS, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906.

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TABLE No. XX.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of PERSONS, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.				
																							Persons.	Males.	Females.		
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																											
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain ...	19	7	5	1	6	38	4	3	4	1	3	1	...	3	...	1	2	1	1	...	...	62	39	23	
2. Softening of Brain	2	1	1	2	...	6	...	13	11	2		
3. General Paralysis of Insane ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	11	8	3
4. Insanity (not Puerperal) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	2	3	1	13	8	5
5. Chorea ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	
6. Epilepsy ...	...	1	...	1	1	3	1	3	2	3	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	18	9	9
7. Convulsions ...	74	7	3	5	...	89	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	90	52	38
8. Laryngismus Stridulus ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Locomotor Ataxy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	5	5	...
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord ...	...	1	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	2	...	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	17	11	6
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	4	2	2
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific) ...	...	...	1	1	...	2	1	2	...	1	2	...	2	3	2	1	2	...	2	...	...	20	16	4
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases ...	1	1	1	...	...	3	...	1	1	...	5	3	9	3	3	4	4	2	5	4	5	52	33	19	
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																											
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease ...	1	...	...	1	1	3	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	1
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																											
1. Valve Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	1	1	2	6	7	7	5	8	9	16	20	17	13	16	28	21	19	36	...	230	156	74		
2. Pericarditis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
3. Hypertrophy of Heart ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	1
4. Angina Pectoris ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	3	1	...	8	4	4
5. Dilatation of Heart ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	2	2	2	3	14	11	3
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	3	3	2	2	4	4	3	26	12	14
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)...	2	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	2	1	2	3	8	10	6	7	6	18	22	20	12	120	67	53
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																											
1. Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Emb. Throm. ...	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	3	2	3	4	6	7	9	8	11	15	14	85	50	35
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	3	6	2	10	8	9	21	62	37	25
3. Aneurism ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4	2	4	6	4	2	2	1	1	30	25	5
4. Senile Gangrene ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	6	10	6	4
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral) ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	9	3	6
6. Phlebitis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	2
7. Varicose Veins ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	3	1	4	4	6	4	26	20	6
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																											
1. Laryngitis ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous) ...	2	3	5	...	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	6	5
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Bronchitis ...	27	9	1	1	...	38	3	2	3	...	1	3	6	5	7	19	22	37	...	146	80	66		
6. Lobar, Croupous-pneumonia ...	3	2	1	...	...	6	...	1	...	2	1	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	2	...	...	16	9	7
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia ...	16	6	2	2	...	26	...	...	1	1	1	2	...	1	...	2	...	3	...	1	...	39	23	16	
8. Pneumonia ...	21	11	2	1	3	38	3	7	7	9	4	8	11	11	10	9	14	9	6	18	...	167	94	73			
9. Emphysema, Asthma ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	4	2	3	2	5	9	3	13	2	...	46	31	15
10. Pleurisy ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	3	4	1	3	2	2	1	5	1	1	...	28	19	9
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other ...	6	2	...	...	1	9	2	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	4	2	1	1	23	13	10
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified) ...	3	...	1	1	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	9	6	3
3. Gastric Ulcer ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	1	10	5	5
4. Gastric Catarrh ...	2	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	6	1
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant) ...	10	3	3	...	...	16	1	...	1	...	...	...	2	4	...	3	1	2	4	4	5	43	19	24
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic) ...	27	11	6	...	2	46	...	1	...	3	2	...	...	4	2	2	2	5	...	5	...	74	44	30	
7. Gastro Enteritis ...	244	36	9	1	1	291	3	...	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	2	...	309	171	138			
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	5	1	4	2	1	2	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	26	17	9
9. Hernia ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	2	2	2	3	7	1	21	15	6
10. Intestinal Obstruction ...	3	1	...	...	...	4	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	2	1	1	1	...	3	1	6	23	13	10
11. Other Diseases of Intestines ...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	8	5	3
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	1	1	...	3	1	1	...	1	...	2	...	14	7	7
13. Cirrhosis of Liver ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	7	3	7	6	5	3	4	3	41	26	15
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases ...	9	1	...	1	...	11	1	...	...	1	...	3	2	2	3	5	3	1	6	2	6	46	27	19	
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases ...	9	...	...	...	...	9	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	1	16	7	9
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																											
1. Spleen Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	4	4	...
3. Thyroid Body Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	2
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																											
1. Nephritis, Acute ...	3	...	...	...	...	3	3	2	4	8	3	2	6	2	...	3	4	2	5	1	1	49	26	23
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	6	18	7	6	12	13	13	17	13	14	22	18	13	176	118	58
3. Calculus (not Biliary) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	3	...	...	...	6	4	2
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	5	3	7	18	...	39	37	2
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases ...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	1	2	3	2	1	1	3	2	2	4	6	4	33	23	10
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	3
2. Other Diseases of Ovary ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	9	...	9
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina ...	...	...	...	...																			

TABLE No. XX.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of PERSONS, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in Queensland during the Year 1906.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.				
																							Persons.	Males.	Females.		
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																											
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																											
1. Caries, Necrosis	1	1	...	1	1	4	3	...		
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	1	1	3	2	5	3	2		
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases	1	1	...	3	3	...		
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASE.																											
1. Ulcer, Bedsore	1	3	...	4	1	3		
2. Eczema	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...
3. Pemphigus ... ..	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
4. Skin Diseases, Other	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	2	1	...	...	1	3	3	...	...	1	...	14	11	3
TOTAL CLASS II.	491	104	44	20	20	679	48	33	58	73	84	79	116	128	115	132	123	168	204	199	249	...	2,488	1,483	1,005		
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																											
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																											
1. Atrophy, Debility	16	1	2	19	3	13	20	35	108	...	19	9	10		
2. Old Age ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	179	103	76
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca	1	1	1	1	...	1	1	2	...	9	7	2		
4. Tumour ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
5. Abscess	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	2
6. Hæmorrhage ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Other Ill-defined Causes	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	2	1	...	...	...	9	7	2
9. Causes not Specified	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	4	...
TOTAL CLASS IV.	20	1	2	23	1	1	2	1	2	1	4	1	6	15	23	36	110	...	226	133	93		
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																											
1. In Mines or Quarries	1	4	3	3	3	3	1	5	2	25	25	...		
2. Railways ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	11	11	...
3. Tramways ... ..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
4. Other Vehicles ... ..	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	5	3	...	2	1	1	1	1	...	2	4	...	1	...	23	19	4
5. Horses, &c. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	3	5	...	5	4	1	3	2	4	4	3	2	2	...	42	42	...
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	
7. Building Operations ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	
8. Machinery ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	9	8	1
9. Weapons and Implements ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	2	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	9	2
10. Burns and Scalds	1	4	7	4	1	17	3	2	7	1	2	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	39	14	25	
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours ... ..	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	2
12. Drowning ... ..	...	...	3	3	1	12	11	7	9	8	9	6	6	3	6	5	5	6	...	2	...	102	85	17	
13. Suffocation	6	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	1	...	11	9	2
14. Falls (Otherwise)	1	1	2	...	2	...	1	1	1	2	...	2	...	2	1	1	4	8	...	26	18	8		
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	5	1	1	1	...	8	...	...	...	...	3	1	3	1	2	1	1	2	1	...	...	23	17	6
16. Weather—Lightning ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5	2
17. Weather—Other ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Snake Bites ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	5	1
19. Insect Bites ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Otherwise, or not stated ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	3	...	4	1	2	2	1	1	...	...	19	16	3
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																											
1. Murder { a By Whites	2	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	6	3
2. Manslaughter ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	6	6	...
3. Justifiable Homicide ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
[SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																											
1. By Poison ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3	4	3	4	...	5	6	...	1	2	2	...	33	21	12
2. By Asphyxia ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. By Hanging or Strangulation ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. By Drowning ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	11	1
5. By Firearms ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	10	4
6. By Cutting Instruments ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	2	1	2	4	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	19	19	...
7. By Jumping from High Places ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	2	2	1	1	...	...	...	16	16	...
8. By Crushing ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. By Other Means ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1
SUB-CLASS 4.																											
1. Execution ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
TOTAL CLASS V.	14	7	12	10	6	49	19	24	35	35	35	39	40	35	27	43	22	22	25	14	18	...	482	388	94		
TOTAL DEATHS OF PERSONS FROM ALL CAUSES	1047	153	74	43	39	1356	109	83	132	191	215	218	267	287	263	291	255	305	358	310	454	1	5,095	3,212	1,883		

TABLE No. XXI.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES and FEMALES Registered in Queensland during each Month of the Year 1906.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		TOTALS.				
																									Males.	Females.	Persons.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.							
CLASS I.—General Diseases.																													
SUB-CLASS 1.																													
1. Small-pox	
2. Cow-pox and Effects of Vaccination	
3. Chicken-pox	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	
4. Measles (Morbilli)	...	1	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	5	...
5. Epidemic Rose Rash, German Measles	
6. Scarlet Fever	
7. Typhus	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
8. Plague	5	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	12	...	12	...	
9. Relapsing Fever	
10. Influenza	...	6	...	2	...	...	2	2	2	2	3	1	1	2	1	1	6	3	6	3	5	1	4	5	1	28	31	59
11. Whooping Cough	2	2	3	1	5	3	8	...	
12. Mumps	
13. Diphtheria, Membranous Croup	...	1	1	...	...	5	...	4	6	2	...	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	...	2	2	1	1	1	21	18	39	...
14. Cerebro Spinal Fever	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	
15. Simple Continued Fever	
16. Enteric Fever	...	10	8	9	4	6	1	7	6	6	3	...	2	3	...	1	1	1	...	3	1	3	4	8	1	57	31	88	
17. Beri Beri	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...	8	...	8	...	
SUB-CLASS 2.																													
1. Asiatic Cholera	2	...	2	...
2. Epid. Diarrhoea, Epid. or Zim. Enteritis	
3. Diarrhoea, Choleraic Diarrhoea	...	8	8	6	2	9	3	8	3	3	3	2	4	1	...	1	2	1	3	1	...	8	8	2	2	50	39	89	
4. Dysentery	...	8	1	3	4	2	2	5	2	2	2	...	...	2	1	...	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	2	2	27	16	43
5. Malarial Fever { Dengue Fever...	...	3	...	...	3	2	3	1	...	2	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	9	24
{ Other	...	3	2	4	1	...	...	4	1	4	1	2	...	1	2	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	20	9	29
SUB-CLASS 3.																													
1. Hydrophobia	
2. Glanders, Farcy	
3. Anthrax, Splenic Fever	
4. Tetanus	...	2	...	3	...	5	3	3	2	1	1	1	1	4	1	...	1	3	1	2	...	2	...	2	...	28	10	38	
SUB-CLASS 4.																													
1. Syphilis	...	1	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	3	3	...	...	1	2	1	1	2	...	15	9	24
2. Gonorrhoea, Stricture of Urethra	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	9	...	9	
SUB-CLASS 5.																													
1. Puerperal Septicæmia, Sæpræmia	2	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	9	9	
2. Puerperal Pyæmia	
3. Puerperal Phlegmasia Dolens	
4. Puerperal Fever	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
5. Infective Endocarditis	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	
6. Epidemic Pneumonia, Pneumonic Fever	
7. Erysipelas	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	11	...	
8. Septicæmia (not Puerperal)	2	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	3	1	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	12	6	18	...	
9. Pyæmia (not Puerperal)	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	1	7	...
10. Phlegmon, Carbuncle (not Anthrax)	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	3	6	...
11. Phagedæna	
12. Other Septic Diseases	1	1	...	1	...
SUB-CLASS 6.																													
1. Tuberculous Phthisis, Pulm. Tuberculosis	...	14	2	7	...	7	1	5	5	7	2	5	4	8	5	10	3	6	6	8	4	7	4	6	4	90	40	130	...
2. Phthisis	...	17	4	15	3	15	6	14	3	14	6	10	6	8	7	13	7	15	8	18	3	12	10	11	6	162	69	231	...
3. Tuberculous Meningitis	...	1	2	...	2	...	1	1	2	1	3	7	10
4. Tuberculous Peritonitis	1	1	1	1	6	1	7	...
5. Tabes Mesenterica	...	2	2	5	1	...	1	2	...	1	1	3	1	...	15	4	19
6. Lupus	1	1	1	1	2	...
7. Tubercle of Other Organs	1	2	1	2	...	1	1	2	...	2	9	3	12	...
8. General Tuberculosis	...	2	...	1	1	...	3	...	2	...	2	...	2	1	1	1	...	2	...	2	...	2	19	2	21	...
9. Scrofula
SUB-CLASS 7.																													
1. Hydatids	1	1	1	1	2	3	...
2. Ankylostoma	...	2	1	1	1	2	4	5	9	...
3. Other Animal Parasites	1	2	1	...	2	5	1	6	...
4. Other Parasites
SUB-CLASS 8.																													
1. Privation (Starvation, &c.)	...	3	...	1	...	2	...	6	...	2	...	2	...	5	1	3	...	4	...	29	...	29	...
2. Scurvy	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			

TABLE No. XXI.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES and FEMALES Registered in Queensland during each Month of the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		TOTALS.			
																									Males.	Females.	Persons.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.						
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																												
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																												
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	4	2	5	2	2	1	2	3	2	1	6	3	3	1	6	2	3	4	3	...	2	2	1	2	39	23	62	
2. Softening of Brain	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	11	2	13	
3. General Paralysis of Insane	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	4	...	...	1	...	8	3	11
4. Insanity (not Puerperal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	8	5	13
5. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2
6. Epilepsy	2	1	...	2	1	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	9	9	18
7. Convulsions	7	2	4	6	6	7	3	2	8	4	4	4	4	1	2	...	2	2	4	5	6	...	2	5	52	38	90	
8. Laryngismus Stridulus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Locomotor Ataxy	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	5	...
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	2	2	...	1	1	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	11	6	17	
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	4	...
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific)	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	2	1	3	...	1	...	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	16	4	20	...
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases	5	1	3	1	3	1	2	3	3	1	2	1	2	2	4	3	3	...	1	2	3	1	2	33	19	52	...	
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																												
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease	1	3	1	1	1	6	1	7	...
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																												
1. Valve Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	8	5	7	5	12	7	13	5	12	2	21	7	16	13	17	4	12	11	16	7	9	4	13	4	156	74	230	
2. Pericarditis	1	1	2	2	...
3. Hypertrophy of Heart	1	1	1	...	1	3	1	4	...
4. Angina Pectoris	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	4	8	...
5. Dilatation of Heart	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11	3	14	...
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart	5	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	2	...	1	...	1	2	3	...	...	...	1	3	2	1	...	12	14	26	...
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)	3	5	4	4	2	4	4	4	4	7	8	4	2	4	7	6	12	5	13	5	2	2	6	3	67	53	120	...
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																												
1. Cerebral Hemorrhage, Emb. Throm.	5	5	3	2	2	5	6	4	3	3	6	...	5	1	4	5	5	4	4	2	2	4	5	...	50	35	85	...
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	2	2	2	3	3	3	4	1	3	5	5	1	...	4	3	2	2	1	6	1	5	2	2	...	37	25	62	...
3. Aneurism	3	...	1	...	1	...	4	...	2	1	3	...	2	2	1	...	...	3	1	5	1	...	...	25	5	30	...
4. Senile Gangrene	2	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	6	4	10	...
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	6	9	...
6. Phlebitis	1	1	1	...	2	2	...
7. Varicose Veins	1	...	1	...	1
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	4	1	3	...	1	2	3	1	1	1	...	20	6	26	...
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																												
1. Laryngitis	1	1	...	1	...	1	4	...	4	...
2. Membranous Laryngitis(not Diphtheritic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous)	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	6	5	11	...
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Bronchitis	7	3	3	3	5	9	5	4	7	2	7	6	12	7	10	6	5	6	8	7	2	4	9	9	80	66	146	...
6. Lobar, Croupous-pneumonia	...	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	...	1	1	1	...	9	7	16	...
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia	3	3	2	1	2	2	3	1	2	2	3	...	3	...	3	1	...	4	2	1	...	1	23	16	39	...
8. Pneumonia	13	2	5	...	5	8	7	3	5	7	4	3	6	8	12	11	14	9	10	7	7	6	5	94	73	167	...	
9. Emphysema, Asthma	6	1	...	...	1	2	3	2	5	1	3	2	1	2	2	4	2	2	...	3	...	1	1	31	15	46	...
10. Pleurisy	5	...	2	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	3	2	...	...	1	2	3	3	1	...	...	1	1	19	9	28	...
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other	1	1	3	1	1	2	4	1	...	2	1	2	2	2	...	13	10	23	...
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																												
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy	2	1	3	1	1	...	1	1	...
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified)	1	1	6	3	9	...
3. Gastric Ulcer	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	1	...	1	5	5	10	...
4. Gastric Catarrh	1	2	6	1	7	...
5. Stomach, Other Diseases(not Malignant)	1	4	2	1	1	4	1	2	3	3	1	1	2	...	2	...	...	2	3	2	1	1	2	19	24	43	...
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic)	...	4	7	7	2	5	4	6	1	1	2	2	4	...	4	3	7	...	1	2	6	1	2	44	30	74	...	
7. Gastro Enteritis	32	25	24	13	30	25	14	14	10	6	9	8	3	4	4	6	7	5	11	7	17	11	10	14	171	138	309	...
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis	...	1	1	2	...	3	2	3	...	2	...	1	2	2	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	17	9	26	...	
9. Hernia	2	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	2	1	2	...	2	...	1	2	1	15	6	21	...
10. Intestinal Obstruction	...	1	1	...	1	2	3	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	3	1	...	1	...	3	1	13	10	23	...	
11. Other Diseases of Intestines	1	3	1	5	3	8	...
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	1	...	1	1	1	2	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	14	...
13. Cirrhosis of Liver	...	1	1	2	4	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	3	4	2	5	1	3	...	3	...	1	26	15	41	...	
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases	2	2	2	3	2	1	1	2	3	2	3	1	1	2	3	...	1	2	4	3	3	1	2	...	27	19	46	...
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases	1	...	2	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	7	9	16	...
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																												
1. Spleen Disease
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases	2	...	1	1	4	...	4	...
3. Thyroid Body Disease	1	1	2	2	...
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																												
1. Nephritis, Acute	2	3	...	1	2	...	1	1	4	2	1	1	2	5	5	2	2	5	3	1	2	1	1	26	23	49	...	
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	9	2	14	4	9	6	5</																					

TABLE No. XXI.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES and FEMALES Registered in Queensland during each Month of the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		TOTALS.			
																									Males.	Females.	Persons.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.						
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																												
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																												
1. Caries, Necrosis	1	1	...	1	1	1	3	1	4
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																												
1. Ulcer, Bed sore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	4
2. Eczema	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
3. Pemphigus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
4. Skin Diseases, Other	...	...	1	...	2	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	11	3	14
TOTAL CLASS II.	151	92	112	66	124	116	121	75	121	75	118	75	116	83	133	99	127	82	136	87	123	75	101	80	1,483	1,005	2,488	
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																												
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																												
1. Atrophy, Debility	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10	19
2. Old Age	17	7	9	6	11	8	10	3	5	4	8	8	13	13	2	8	7	6	5	2	9	5	7	6	103	76	179	
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	9
4. Tumour	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
5. Abscess	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
6. Haemorrhage	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Other ill-defined Causes	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	1	...	7	2	9
9. Causes not Specified	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	4
TOTAL CLASS IV.	19	9	13	7	14	11	14	7	7	6	11	8	14	15	3	8	9	7	8	3	11	5	10	7	133	93	226	
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																												
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																												
1. In Mines or Quarries	3	...	3	...	1	1	...	4	...	5	...	1	...	3	...	1	1	...	25	...	25
2. Railways	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	11	...	11
3. Tramways	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
4. Other Vehicles	1	1	1	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	2	1	3	...	2	...	1	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	19	4	23
5. Horses, &c.	5	...	6	...	4	...	2	...	4	...	3	...	2	...	4	...	2	...	2	...	4	...	4	...	42	...	42	
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
7. Building Operations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
8. Machinery	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	8	1	9
9. Weapons and Implements	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	9	2	11
10. Burns and Scalds	...	1	2	...	3	2	...	1	1	3	1	2	5	1	3	2	3	1	2	...	4	...	2	...	14	25	39	
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	6
12. Drowning	7	4	13	2	18	1	4	...	6	2	4	...	6	2	5	1	5	1	6	...	4	...	...	...	85	17	102
13. Suffocation	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	9	2	11
14. Falls (Otherwise)	3	...	2	...	3	1	2	1	...	1	1	...	2	1	2	1	1	...	1	1	...	2	1	...	18	8	26	
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	10	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	17	6	23
16. Weather—Lightning	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	7
17. Weather—Other	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Snake Bites	1	...	3	1	5	1	6
19. Insect Bites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Otherwise, or not stated	2	1	1	...	3	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	16	3	19
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																												
1. Murder { a By Whites	2	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	6	3	9
2. Manslaughter	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	6
3. Justifiable Homicide	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																												
1. By Poison	3	1	...	1	1	2	...	...	3	1	...	1	2	1	...	1	2	2	3	...	3	...	4	2	21	12	33
2. By Asphyxia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. By Hanging or Strangulation	2	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. By Drowning	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	11	1	12
5. By Firearms	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	10	4	14
6. By Cutting Instruments	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	3	...	1	...	4	...	19	...	19
7. By Jumping from High Places	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16
8. By Crushing	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. By Other Means	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	3	1	4
SUB-CLASS 4.																												
1. Execution	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
TOTAL CLASS V.	44	17	36	3	46	11	22	4	22	7	22	4	36	10	30	8	32	7	35	6	29	6	34	11	388	94	482	
TOTAL DEATHS OF MALES AND FEMALES FROM ALL CAUSES	347	185	267	126	291	194	263	149	257	148	227	141	262	160	247	175	260	150	280	153	269	152	242	150	3,212	1,883	5,095	

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CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES Registered in the several

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CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES Registered in the several

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Aramac.	Balonne.	Blackall.	Bowen.	Brisbane.	Bundaberg.	Burke.	Burnett.	Caboolture.	Cairns.	Cardwell.	Charleville.	Clermont.	Cloncurry.	Cook.	Croydon.	Cunnamulla.	Dalby.	Darling Downs Central.	Darling Downs East.	Darling Downs North.	Darling Downs West.	Diamantina.	Drayton and Toowoomba.	Enoggera.	Etheridge.	
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																											
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	1	...	12	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	1	
2. Softening of Brain	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. General Paralysis of Insane	
4. Insanity (not Puerperal)	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
5. Chorea	
6. Epilepsy	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Convulsions	5	2	...	...	6	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	...
8. Laryngismus Stridulus	
9. Locomotor Ataxy	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific)	1	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases	...	1	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																											
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease	
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease	
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																											
1. Valv. Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	2	...	1	...	35	9	...	...	3	5	1	1	...	...	1	3	2	3	3	1	1	...	...	10	6	...
2. Pericarditis	
3. Hypertrophy of Heart	
4. Angina Pectoris	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Dilatation of Heart	
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	1	...	...
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)	3	17	...	1	1	...	2	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	2	...	
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																											
1. Cerebral Hæmorrhage (Emb. Throm.)	1	...	1	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	9	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	
3. Aneurism	1	...	2	1	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	
4. Senile Gangrene	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)	2	...	...
6. Phlebitis	
7. Varicose Veins	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																											
1. Laryngitis	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)	
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous)	
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)	
5. Bronchitis	2	...	1	...	32	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Lobar, Croupous Pneumonia	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia	1	...	4	3	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
8. Pneumonia	2	...	20	5	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	1	1	2	1	3	5	2	...	
9. Emphysema, Asthma	2	...	...	...	9	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Pleurisy	1	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung	
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other	1	1	...	...	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy	
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified)	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
3. Gastric Ulcer	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Gastric Catarrh	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant)	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic)	1	2	...	...	5	...	...	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	...	...	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...
7. Gastro Enteritis	8	...	2	...	53	8	...	3	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	...	
9. Hernia	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Intestinal Obstruction	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Other Diseases of Intestines	
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Cirrhosis of Liver	1	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases	...	1	...	...	5	2	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																											
1. Spleen Disease	
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases	
3. Thyroid Body Disease	
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease	
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																											
1. Nephritis, Acute	11	1	3	2	1	1
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	3	1	2	...	4	3	...	...	...	6	...	1	3	...	1	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	6	...	2
3. Calculus (not Biliary)	
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease	1	1	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases	11	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)	
2. Other Diseases of Ovary	
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant)	
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	
5. Disorders of Menstruation													

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CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.		Aramac.	Balonne.	Blackall.	Bowen.	Brisbane.	Bundaberg.	Burke.	Burnett.	Caboolture.	Cairns.	Cardwell.	Charleville.	Clermont.	Cloncurry.	Cook.	Croydon.	Cunnamulla.	Dalby.	Darling Downs Central.	Darling Downs East.	Darling Downs North.	Darling Downs West.	Diamantina.	Drayton and Toowoomba.	Enoggera.	Etheridge.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— <i>continued.</i>																											
SUB-CLASS II.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																											
1. Caries, Necrosis	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASE.																											
1. Ulcer, Bed sore	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Eczema	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Pemphigus	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Skin Diseases, Other	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS II.	...	22	8	13	8	391	44	2	15	12	37	13	11	11	6	15	14	15	6	19	9	11	6	8	70	37	5
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																											
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																											
1. Atrophy, Debility	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Old Age	...	1	1	...	...	29	1	1	...	4	4	1	2	2	...	2	...	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	4	1	2
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Tumour	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Abscess	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Hæmorrhage	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Other Ill-defined Causes	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Causes not Specified	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS IV.	...	1	2	1	1	32	1	2	1	4	8	1	2	2	...	2	1	1	...	3	...	2	...	...	4	1	2
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																											
1. In Mines or Quarries	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Railways	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Tramways	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Other Vehicles	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	...
5. Horses, &c.	...	...	2	...	...	2	2	1	3	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Building Operations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Machinery	...	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Weapons and Implements	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Burns and Scalds	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
12. Drowning	...	...	2	1	2	7	3	...	2	2	5	6	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...
13. Suffocation	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
14. Falls (Otherwise)	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	...	2	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
16. Weather—Lightning	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Weather—Other	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Snake Bites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Insect Bites	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Otherwise, or not stated	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																											
1. Murder { a By Whites b By Coloured Persons	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Manslaughter	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Justifiable Homicide	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																											
1. By Poison	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2
2. By Asphyxia	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. By Hanging or Strangulation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. By Drowning	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...
5. By Firearms	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
6. By Cutting Instruments	3	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	1
7. By Jumping from High Places
8. By Crushing										

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CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES Registered in the several

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Aramac.	Balonne.	Blackall.	Bowen.	Brisbane.	Bundaberg.	Burke.	Burnett.	Caboolture.	Cairns.	Cardwell.	Charleville.	Clermont.	Cloncurry.	Cook.	Croydon.	Cunnamulla.	Dalby.	Darling Downs Central.	Darling Downs East.	Darling Downs North.	Darling Downs West.	Diamantina.	Drayton and Toowoomba.	Enoggera.	Etheridge.
CLASS I.—General Diseases.																										
SUB-CLASS 1.																										
1. Small-pox																										
2. Cow-pox and Effects of Vaccination																										
3. Chicken-pox																										
4. Measles (Morbilli)					1					1																
5. Epidemic Rose Rash, German Measles... ..																										
6. Scarlet Fever																								1		
7. Typhus																										
8. Plague																										
9. Relapsing Fever																										
10. Influenza	1				16	1				1														1	3	
11. Whooping Cough																									1	
12. Mumps																										
13. Diphtheria, Membranous Croup... ..					11												1							1		
14. Cerebro Spinal Fever																										
15. Simple Continued Fever																										
16. Enteric Fever	1				9					2			1				1	3						1		
17. Beri Beri																										
SUB-CLASS 2.																										
1. Asiatic Cholera																										
2. Epid. Diarrhœa, Epid. or Zim. Enteritis								1																		
3. Diarrhœa, Choleraic Diarrhœa					8	2					1														1	
4. Dysentery	1				1	2					1				1					3					1	
5. Malarial Fever { Dengue Fever	1				1	2					1				1								1			
{ Other							1			1					1	1										1
SUB-CLASS 3.																										
1. Hydrophobia																										
2. Glanders, Farcy																										
3. Anthrax, Splenic Fever																										
4. Tetanus					5					2																
SUB-CLASS 4.																									1	1
1. Syphilis					5																					
2. Gonorrhœa, Stricture of Urethra																										
SUB-CLASS 5.																										
1. Puerperal Septicæmia, Sæpœmia					1															1						
2. Puerperal Pyæmia																										
3. Puerperal Phlegmasia Dolens																										
4. Puerperal Fever																										
5. Infective Endocarditis																										
6. Epidemic Pneumonia, Pneumonic Fever																										
7. Erysipelas						1																			1	
8. Septicæmia (not Puerperal)					4																					
9. Pyæmia (not Puerperal)																										
10. Phlegmon, Carbuncle (not Anthrax)					1																					
11. Phagedæna																										
12. Other Septic Diseases																										
SUB-CLASS 6.																										
1. Tuberculous Phthisis, Pulm.Tuberculosis					10			1		1														1		1
2. Phthisis					19					2	3		1				1			2				2	6	
3. Tuberculous Meningitis					3	1																		1		
4. Tuberculous Peritonitis																										
5. Tabes Mesenterica					1																				2	
6. Lupus																										
7. Tubercle of Other Organs... ..					1																					
8. General Tuberculosis								1									1									
9. Scrofula																										
SUB-CLASS 7.																										
1. Hydatids			1																							
2. Ankylostoma					1					1						1										
3. Other Animal Parasites																										
4. Other Parasites																										
SUB-CLASS 8.																										
1. Privation (Starvation, &c.)																										
2. Scourvy																										
3. Alcoholism, Delirium Tremens					5	1		1								1										
4. Opium, Morphia Habit																										
5. Potomane Poisoning					1																					
6. Chronic Poisoning (not intentional)					2																					
7. Industrial Poisoning																										
SUB-CLASS 9.																										
1. Rheumatic Fever, Acute Rheumatism... ..					3	1																				
2. Rheumatism of the Heart																										
3. Chronic Rheumatism					1																					
4. Rheumatic Arthritis, Rheumatic Gout... ..						2																				
5. Gout																										
SUB-CLASS 10.																										
1. Carcinoma					13	4		1		1			1				1	1	2	1				1	1	
2. Sarcoma					4	1			1																	
3. Malignant Disease, Cancer					24	1				1		1								1		2		5	4	
SUB-CLASS 11.																										
1. Rickets																	1									
2. Purpura																								1	2	
3. Hæmophilia, Hæmorrhagic Diathesis																										
4. Anæmia, Leucocythæmia					1	4																			1	
5. Diabetes Mellitus	1				7			1				1												1		
SUB-CLASS 12.																										
1. Premature Birth	2	3	1		11	2		3		5		1	2					1			1	2		3	3	
2. Congenital Defects... ..					8	3														1				1	4	
3. Injury at Birth					1																					
4. Atelectasis	1				1	2		1			1									1				1		
5. Want of Breast Milk					4	3																				
6. Teething	1				1	1						1					1				1					
TOTAL CLASS I.	6	5	2	3	190	28	1	11	1	19	7	4	5		4	10	4	11	7	4	5		1	20	32	3

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CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES Registered in the several

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Aramac.	Balonne.	Blackall.	Bowen.	Brisbane.	Bundaberg.	Burke.	Burnett.	Caboolture.	Cairns.	Cardwell.	Charleville.	Clermont.	Cloncurry.	Cook.	Croydon.	Cunnamulla.	Dalby.	Darling Downs Central.	Darling Downs East.	Darling Downs North.	Darling Downs West.	Diamantina.	Drayton and Toowoomba.	Enoggera.	Etheridge.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																										
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																										
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	2	...
2. Softening of Brain	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. General Paralysis of Insane	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Insanity (not Puerperal)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Chorea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	...
6. Epilepsy	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
7. Convulsions	...	2	1	...	5	2	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Laryngismus Stridulus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
9. Locomotor Ataxy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific)	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																										
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																										
1. Valv. Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	1	...	...	...	14	1	...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	6	5	...
2. Pericarditis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Hypertrophy of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Angina Pectoris	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
5. Dilatation of Heart	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)	...	1	...	...	10	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	6	1	1	...
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																										
1. Cerebral Hemorrhage (Emb. Throm.)	1	...	...	...	8	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	5	...
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	...	...	...	...	7	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
3. Aneurism	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Senile Gangrene	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
6. Phlebitis	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
7. Varicose Veins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																										
1. Laryngitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous)	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Bronchitis	1	...	...	1	17	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Lobar, Croupous Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	2	2
8. Pneumonia	...	...	...	1	28	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	1	...
9. Emphysema, Asthma	1	...	...	...	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	...
10. Pleurisy	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																										
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Gastric Ulcer	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Gastric Catarrh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant)	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic)	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
7. Gastro Enteritis	...	...	4	...	35	4	...	3	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
8. Appendicitis, Perityphilitis	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...
9. Hernia	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Intestinal Obstruction	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Other Diseases of Intestines	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Cirrhosis of Liver	...	...	...	...	4	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																										
1. Spleen Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Thyroid Body Disease	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																										
1. Nephritis, Acute	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	...	...	...	...	15	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Calculus (not Biliary)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																										
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Other Diseases of Ovary	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant)	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Disorders of Menstruation	...	...																						

No. XXIII.—continued.

Registry Districts of Queensland during the Year 1906—continued.

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TABLE
CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES Registered in the several

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Aramac.	Balonne.	Blackall.	Bowen.	Brisbane.	Bundaberg.	Burke.	Burnett.	Caboolture.	Cairns.	Cardwell.	Charleville.	Clermont.	Cloncurry.	Cook.	Croydon.	Cunnamulla.	Dalby.	Darling Downs Central.	Darling Downs East.	Darling Downs North.	Darling Downs West.	Diamantina.	Drayton and Toowoomba.	Enoggera.	Etheridge.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																										
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																										
1. Caries, Necrosis ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Arthritis, Periostitis ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																										
1. Ulcer, Bed sore ... ..	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Eczema ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Pemphigus ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Skin Diseases, Other ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS II.	8	5	7	3	260	33	...	16	3	12	2	5	9	3	10	13	8	6	21	8	6	1	3	63	52	2
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																										
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																										
1. Atrophy, Debility	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Old Age ... ..	...	...	...	...	13	3	...	1	1	...	...	2	...	1	1	2	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	2	1	...
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Tumour ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Abscess ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Hæmorrhage ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Other Ill-defined Causes ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Causes not Specified ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS IV.	1	...	...	...	14	4	...	1	1	1	...	3	...	1	1	2	...	...	1	2	1	1	...	2	1	...
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																										
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																										
1. In Mines or Quarries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Railways ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Tramways ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Other Vehicles ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Horses, &c. ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Building Operations ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Machinery ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Weapons and Implements ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
10. Burns and Scalds	1	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
12. Drowning ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
13. Suffocation ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
14. Falls (Otherwise) ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
16. Weather—Lightning ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Weather—Other ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Snake Bites ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Insect Bites ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Otherwise, or not stated ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																										
1. Murder { a By Whites ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
b By Coloured Persons ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Manslaughter ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Justifiable Homicide ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																										
1. By Poison ... ..	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. By Asphyxia ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. By Hanging or Strangulation ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. By Drowning ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. By Firearms ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. By Cutting Instruments ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. By Jumping from High Places ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. By Crushing ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. By Other Means ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 4.																										
1. Execution ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS V.	2	1	...	1	15	...	...	3	2	1	...	2	...	...	3	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL DEATHS OF FEMALES FROM ALL CAUSES	17	11	9	7	479	65	1	31	7	33	9	14	14	4	18	26	13	17	30	15	13	2	4	86	85	7

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TABLE

CAUSES of DEATHS of PERSONS Registered in the several

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Aramac.	Balonne.	Blackall.	Bowen.	Brisbane.	Bundaberg.	Burke.	Burnett.	Cabootture.	Cairns.	Cardwell.	Charleville.	Clermont.	Cloncurry.	Cook.	Croydon.	Cunnamulla.	Dalby.	Darling Downs Central.	Darling Downs East.	Darling Downs North.	Darling Downs West.	Diamantina.	Drayton and Toowoomba.	Enoggera.	Etheridge.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																										
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																										
1. Caries, Necrosis ... ..	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Arthritis, Periostitis ... ..	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																										
1. Ulcer, Bed sore ... ..	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Eczema ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Pemphigus ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Skin Diseases, Other ... ..	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS II.	30	13	20	11	651	77	2	31	15	49	15	16	20	9	25	27	23	12	40	17	17	7	11	133	89	7
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																										
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																										
1. Atrophy, Debility	1	1	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Old Age	1	1	...	...	42	4	1	1	5	4	1	4	2	1	3	2	1	...	4	1	3	1	...	6	2	2
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Tumour ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Abscess ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Hæmorrhage ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained) ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Other Ill-defined Causes ... ..	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Causes not Specified ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS IV.	2	2	1	1	46	5	2	2	5	9	1	5	2	1	3	3	1	...	4	2	3	1	...	6	2	2
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																										
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																										
1. In Mines or Quarries ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Railways ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Tramways ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. Other Vehicles ... ..	...	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Horses, &c. ... ..	...	2	...	...	2	2	1	3	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	4	1	...
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning) ... ..	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Building Operations ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Machinery ... ..	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Weapons and Implements ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
10. Burns and Scalds	1	2	...	...	4	...	...	1	2	...	1	1	...	1	2	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours ... ..	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
12. Drowning ... ..	...	2	1	3	11	3	...	2	2	6	6	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	...
13. Suffocation ... ..	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Falls (Otherwise) ... ..	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	3	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
16. Weather—Lightning	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Weather—Other ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
18. Snake Bites ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Insect Bites ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Otherwise, or not stated	1	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																										
1. Murder { a By Whites ... ..	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Manslaughter ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Justifiable Homicide ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																										
1. By Poison ... ..	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	2
2. By Asphyxia ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. By Hanging or Strangulation ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...
4. By Drowning ... ..	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. By Firearms ... ..	...	...	1	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. By Cutting Instruments ... ..	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1
7. By Jumping from High Places ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. By Crushing ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. By Other Means ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
SUB-CLASS 4.																										
1. Execution ... ..	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTAL CLASS V.	8	8	4	4	67	13	1	12	7	13	20	4	3	3	7	5	5	3	5	4	5	1	2	11	3	6
TOTAL DEATHS OF PERSONS FROM ALL CAUSES	64	36	36	27	1238	170	9	65	35	162	58	41	44	17	66	59	40	34	69	33	39	11	21	216	162	22

No. XXIV.—continued.

Registry Districts of Queensland during the Year 1906—continued.

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TABLE No. XXV.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during the Year 1906.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.				
																							Males.	Females.	Persons.		
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																											
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																											
1. Caries, Necrosis	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	3		
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2			
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																											
1. Ulcer, Bed sore	1	1		
2. Eczema		
3. Pemphigus		
4. Skin Diseases, Other	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2
TOTAL CLASS II.	81	11	3	3	4	102	4	6	12	13	3	5	15	22	21	24	17	25	37	27	30	...	363	314	677		
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																											
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																											
1. Atrophy, Debility	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	13	...	2	1	3
2. Old Age	24	12	36			
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca		
4. Tumour		
5. Abscess		
6. Hæmorrhage		
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)		
8. Other Ill-defined Causes		
9. Causes not Specified	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
TOTAL CLASS IV.	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	13	...	27	13	40
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																											
1. In Mines or Quarries	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1		
2. Railways		
3. Tramways	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1		
4. Other Vehicles	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Horses, &c.	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	1	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	3		
7. Building Operations	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...		
8. Machinery		
9. Weapons and Implements	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...		
10. Burns and Scalds	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	1	...	3	4		
12. Drowning		
13. Suffocation	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	11	
14. Falls (Otherwise)	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	3	...	3	...		
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	1	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	8	2	10		
16. Weather—Lightning	1	...	1	...		
17. Weather—Other		
18. Snake Bites		
19. Insect Bites		
20. Otherwise, or not stated	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	3		
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																											
1. Murder { a By Whites	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...
2. Manslaughter { b By Coloured Persons		
3. Justifiable Homicide		
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																											
1. By Poison	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	6	2	8		
2. By Asphyxia		
3. By Hanging or Strangulation	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
4. By Drowning		
5. By Firearms		
6. By Cutting Instruments	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. By Jumping from High Places		
8. By Crushing		
9. By Other Means		
SUB-CLASS 4.																											
1. Execution	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2		
TOTAL CLASS V.	2	1	...	1	1	5	2	2	1	3	4	4	8	5	5	4	2	2	4	3	3	...	57	16	73		
TOTAL DEATHS OF MALES FROM ALL CAUSES	165	22	5	9	7	208	14	14	19	27	18	22	46	46	46	44	39	42	56	44	55	...	740	571	1,311		

TABLE No. XXVI.

CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES at Different Periods of Life, Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during the Year 1906.

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CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.																									TOTALS.				
Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	Females.	Males.	Persons.					
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																													
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																													
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	3	2			5		1												1			6	14	20					
2. Softening of Brain																						1	2	3					
3. General Paralysis of Insane																													
4. Insanity (not Puerperal)																													
5. Chorea																													
6. Epilepsy		1																											
7. Convulsions	5				5			1														2	5	7					
8. Laryngismus Stridulus																						5	5	10					
9. Locomotor Ataxy																													
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord									1										1			2	2	4					
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis														1							1	1	1	1					
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific)																	1		1		2	4	6						
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases							1									1	1		1	1	5	7	12						
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																													
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease																							2	2					
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease																													
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease																													
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																													
1. Valv. Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)					1	1			3	1	1	2		1		5	2	3	3			23	27	50					
2. Pericarditis									1												1		1						
3. Hypertrophy of Heart																													
4. Angina Pectoris																	1				1	1	2						
5. Dilatation of Heart																			1		1		1						
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart													2	1		1		2			6		6						
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)									1	1				1	3	1	1	1	3		12	13	25						
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																													
1. Cerebral Hæmorrhage (Emb. Throm.)												1		1	1	2	1		2	3	11	11	22						
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia															1		1			3	6	7	13						
3. Aneurism																													
4. Senile Gangrene																				2		3	5						
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)								1			1			1							2	3	5						
6. Phlebitis														1				1			3		3						
7. Varicose Veins																		1			1		1						
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases																	1	2		2	5	7	12						
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																													
1. Laryngitis																							2	2					
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)																													
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous)																													
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)																													
5. Bronchitis	3	2	1		6	1				1						2													
6. Lobar, Croupous Pneumonia	1				1		1			2	1		1		1	2		1	1	2	17	22	39						
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia		2		1	3									1							5	1	6						
8. Pneumonia	6	1	1		9		3	1		2	3	1	3		1		2	2	1	3	31	19	50						
9. Emphysema, Asthma																					4	4	8						
10. Pleurisy						1											2	1	1		6	8	14						
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung									1		1	1									3	1	4						
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other	1	1			2	2															6	3	9						
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																													
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy																							1	1					
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified)																						2	1	3					
3. Gastric Ulcer								1	1																				
4. Gastric Catarrh		1																											
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant)					1	1					1											3	3	6					
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic)	3	2			5																	10	8	18					
7. Gastro Enteritis	40	10	1		51				1					2	1			1				51	64	115					
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis						1		1		1												3	4	7					
9. Hernia																						2	7	9					
10. Intestinal Obstruction													1	1						2		4	5	9					
11. Other Diseases of Intestines		1																				2	2	2					
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal)														1								3	1	4					
13. Cirrhosis of Liver										1	1											4	7	11					
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases	1				1								1				2	1				5	4	9					
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases	1				1						1				1			1	1		4	5	9						
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																													
1. Spleen Disease																													
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases																													
3. Thyroid Body Disease																													
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease																			2			2							
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																													
1. Nephritis, Acute									3	2	1	1				1	1	2			11	13	24						
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria									4		1	1		2		1	1	4		1	15	44	59						
3. Calculus (not Biliary)																													
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease																													
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases											1					1		1			3	10	13						
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																													
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)																				1			1						
2. Other Diseases of Ovary																													
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant)													1	1							3		3						
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina																					2		2						
5. Disorders of Menstruation																													
6. Gener. and Mam. Orgs., Other Diseases												1	1									2	1	3					
SUB-CLASS 10.—ACCIDENTS OF CHILDBIRTH.																													
1. Abortion, Miscarriage																													
2. Puerperal Mania										1												1		1					
3. Puerperal Convulsions																													
4. Placenta Prævia, Flooding									2				1									3		3					
5. Other Accidents of Pregnancy, and Childbirth								1					1									2		2					

TABLE No. XXVI,—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of FEMALES, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.		
																							Females.	Males.	Persons.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																									
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																									
1. Caries, Necrosis	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	1	1	2
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases	1	1	1
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																									
1. Ulcer, Bed sore	1	...	1	...	1
2. Eczema
3. Pemphigus
4. Skin Diseases, Other	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2
TOTAL CLASS II.	64	23	3	1	1	92	8	7	6	11	20	9	13	17	13	10	14	22	26	16	30	...	314	363	677
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																									
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																									
1. Atrophy, Debility	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
2. Old Age	1	1	...	10	...	12	24	36
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca
4. Tumour
5. Abscess
6. Haemorrhage
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)
8. Other Ill-defined Causes
9. Causes not Specified	1	...	1
TOTAL CLASS IV.	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	10	...	...	13	27	40
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																									
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																									
1. In Mines or Quarries	1	1
2. Railways
3. Tramways	1	...	1
4. Other Vehicles	1	...	...	...	1	1	2
5. Horses, &c.	3	3	3
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	3	3	3
7. Building Operations
8. Machinery	1	...	1
9. Weapons and Implements	1	1	1
10. Burns and Scalds	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	4
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
12. Drowning	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7	11
13. Suffocation	3	3
14. Falls (Otherwise)	8	10
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	2	1	1
16. Weather—Lightning
17. Weather—Other
18. Snake Bites
19. Insect Bites
20. Otherwise, or not stated	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	3
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																									
1. Murder { a By Whites	3	3
2. Manslaughter
3. Justifiable Homicide
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																									
1. By Poison	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	8
2. By Asphyxia
3. By Hanging or Strangulation	1	1
4. By Drowning	5	7
5. By Firearms	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	3	3
6. By Cutting Instruments	3	3
7. By Jumping from High Places
8. By Crushing
9. By Other Means	1	...	1
SUB-CLASS 4.																									
1. Execution	2	2
TOTAL CLASS V.	1	...	1	1	...	2	1	1	1	...	3	...	1	...	1	2	...	2	...	16	57	73
TOTAL DEATHS OF FEMALES FROM ALL CAUSES	118	28	7	5	4	162	18	11	17	23	31	20	26	36	26	22	26	36	43	24	50	...	571	740	1,311

TABLE No. XXVII.

CAUSES of DEATHS of PERSONS at Different Periods of Life, Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during the Year 1906.

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TABLE No. XXVII,—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of PERSONS, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.		
																							Persons.	Males.	Females.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																									
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																									
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain ...	6	2	1	1	1	11	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	2	...	1	...	20	14	6
2. Softening of Brain	3	2	...
3. General Paralysis of Insane
4. Insanity (not Puerperal)
5. Chorea
6. Epilepsy
7. Convulsions ...	8	2	...	...	...	10	...	...	2	1	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5	5
8. Laryngismus Stridulus
9. Locomotor Ataxy	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	4	2	...
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific)	2	...	1	1	...	2	...	...	6	4	2	...
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases	1	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	1	2	1	...	2	1	...	12	7	5
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																									
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																									
1. Valv. Dis. Endocarditis (not Infective)	1	2	2	1	4	1	5	3	4	3	3	6	4	4	7	...	50	27	23
2. Pericarditis	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
3. Hypertrophy of Heart
4. Angina Pectoris	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	1
5. Dilatation of Heart	1	...	1	...	...
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart	2	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	6	...	...	6
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)	1	1	1	...	1	2	...	1	3	3	4	4	4	4	...	25	13	12
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																									
1. Cerebral Hemorrhage (Emb. Throm.)	2	1	2	1	4	2	2	3	5	...	22	11	11
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	1	1	1	2	1	1	6	...	13	7	6	
3. Aneurism
4. Senile Gangrene	1	4	...	5	3	2
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3
6. Phlebitis	1	...	...	1	...	...	1
7. Varicose Veins	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases	1	1	2	3	3	2	...	12	7	5
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																									
1. Laryngitis	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous)
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)
5. Bronchitis ...	4	2	1	...	...	7	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	1	1	3	2	7	5	8	...	39	22	17
6. Lobar, Croupous Pneumonia ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	6	1	5
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia ...	2	2	...	1	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4	4
8. Pneumonia ...	6	3	1	...	2	12	...	3	2	1	2	4	4	4	3	2	1	3	3	1	4	...	50	19	31
9. Emphysema, Asthma	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	5	2	2	1	...	14	8	6
10. Pleurisy	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	3
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other ...	2	1	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	9	3	6
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																									
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified) ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
3. Gastric Ulcer	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	1	2
4. Gastric Catarrh	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant) ...	1	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	3	
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic) ...	8	4	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	...	18	8	10	
7. Gastro Enteritis ...	96	15	1	...	1	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	115	64	51	
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	4	3	
9. Hernia	1	2	...	3	3	...	...	9	7	2	
10. Intestinal Obstruction	1	1	1	1	...	...	1	3	...	9	5	4
11. Other Diseases of Intestines	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal)	1	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	3	
13. Cirrhosis of Liver	1	...	3	...	3	2	...	...	11	7	4	
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	1	...	1	1	...	9	4	5	
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases ...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	9	5	4
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																									
1. Spleen Disease
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases
3. Thyroid Body Disease	2	...	...	2	...	2
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																									
1. Nephritis, Acute ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	6	2	1	1	1	...	1	2	2	3	1	...	...	24	13	11
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria ...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	7	1	1	2	3	9	5	4	7	9	5	2	...	59	44	15
3. Calculus (not Biliary)
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	1	...	2	...	7	7	...
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	2	1	...	2	3	1	...	13	10	3
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																									
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)	1	...	1	...	1
2. Other Diseases of Ovary
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant)	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
5. Disorders of Menstruation
6. Gener. and Mam. Orgs., Other Diseases	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	2
SUB-CLASS 10.—ACCIDENTS OF CHILDBIRTH.																									
1. Abortion, Miscarriage	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
2. Puerperal Mania
3. Puerperal Convulsions	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3
4. Placenta Previa, Flooding	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2
5. Other Accidents of Pregnancy, and Childbirth	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	4

TABLE No. XXVII.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of PERSONS, at Different Periods of Life, Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	Under 1 year.	1 to 2.	2 to 3.	3 to 4.	4 to 5.	Total under 5 years.	5 to 10.	10 to 15.	15 to 20.	20 to 25.	25 to 30.	30 to 35.	35 to 40.	40 to 45.	45 to 50.	50 to 55.	55 to 60.	60 to 65.	65 to 70.	70 to 75.	75 and upwards.	Unspecified.	TOTALS.				
																							Persons.	Males.	Females.		
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— continued.																											
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																											
1. Caries, Necrosis	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	2	1		
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	1	...	...	2	1	1		
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases	1	...	...
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																											
1. Ulcer, Bedsore	1	...	1	...	1		
2. Eczema		
3. Pemphigus		
4. Skin Diseases, Other	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1
TOTAL CLASS II.	145	34	6	4	5	194	12	13	18	24	23	14	28	39	34	34	31	47	63	43	60	...	677	363	314		
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																											
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																											
1. Atrophy, Debility	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	8	23	3	2	1
2. Old Age	36	24	12		
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca		
4. Tumour		
5. Abscess		
6. Hemorrhage		
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)		
8. Other Ill-defined Causes		
9. Causes not Specified	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
TOTAL CLASS IV.	4	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	8	23	...	40	27	13
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																											
1. In Mines or Quarries	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...		
2. Railways		
3. Tramways	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...		
4. Other Vehicles	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...		
5. Horses, &c.	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	3	1		
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...		
7. Building Operations		
8. Machinery	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...		
9. Weapons and Implements	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...		
10. Burns and Scalds	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	1	...
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	3		
12. Drowning	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	11	7	4		
13. Suffocation	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	...
14. Falls (Otherwise)	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	1	1	...	3	3	...		
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy	1	...	...	10	8	2		
16. Weather—Lightning	1	1	...		
17. Weather—Other		
18. Snake Bites		
19. Insect Bites		
20. Otherwise, or not stated	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	3	2	1		
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																											
1. Murder { a By Whites	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...
2. Manslaughter		
3. Justifiable Homicide		
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																											
1. By Poison	1	1	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	8	6	2		
2. By Asphyxia		
3. By Hanging or Strangulation		
4. By Drowning	1	1	...		
5. By Firearms	1	...	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	7	5	2		
6. By Cutting Instruments	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	3	...			
7. By Jumping from High Places	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...			
8. By Crushing		
9. By Other Means	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...		
SUB-CLASS 4.																											
1. Execution	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...		
TOTAL CLASS V.	2	1	...	2	1	6	3	2	3	4	5	5	8	8	5	5	2	3	6	3	5	...	73	57	16		
TOTAL DEATHS OF PERSONS FROM ALL CAUSES	283	50	12	14	11	370	32	25	36	50	49	42	72	82	72	66	65	78	99	68	105	...	1,311	740	571		

TABLE No. XXVIII.—continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES and FEMALES Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during each Month of the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		TOTALS.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—DISEASES OF NERVOUS SYSTEM.																											
1. Meningitis, Inflammation of Brain	1	1			1				1	1	2	1	3	1	4	1					1		1	1	14	6	20
2. Softening of Brain					1							1	1		1										2	1	3
3. General Paralysis of Insane																											
4. Insanity (not Puerperal)																											
5. Chorea																											
6. Epilepsy	1						1		1			1	1				1		1						5	2	7
7. Convulsions	1			1	1						1		1				1	1	2				1		5	5	10
8. Laryngismus Stridulus																											
9. Locomotor Ataxy											1														1		1
10. Paraplegia and Disease of Cord					1		1	1							1										2	2	4
11. Neuritis, Periph. and Poly. Neuritis															1											1	1
12. Brain Tumour (not Specific)	1	1	1							1	1					1			1						4	2	6
13. Nervous System, Other Diseases	1							2	2					1	2	1			1	1	1				7	5	12
SUB-CLASS 2.—DISEASES OF ORGANS OF SPECIAL SENSE.																											
1. Otitis, Mastoid Disease									1										1						2		2
2. Epistaxis, Nose Disease																											
3. Ophthalmia, Eye Disease																											
SUB-CLASS 3.—DISEASES OF HEART.																											
1. Valve Dis., Endocarditis (not Infective)	2	2	1	2	3	3	3	1	4		3	3	3	4			1	4	3	3	1		3	1	27	23	50
2. Pericarditis												1														1	1
3. Hypertrophy of Heart																											
4. Angina Pectoris								1									1								1	1	2
5. Dilatation of Heart																										1	1
6. Fatty Degeneration of Heart								3		1		1									1					6	6
7. Syncope, Heart Disease (not Specified)				2	1	1	2	1		3	2	1	1		1	2	2	2	2		1		1		13	12	25
SUB-CLASS 4.—DISEASES OF BLOOD VESSELS.																											
1. Cerebral Hemorrhage, Emb. Throm.		2	2			1	1	2		1	2				1	1	2	2	2	1		1	1		11	11	22
2. Apoplexy, Hemiplegia	1				3	2				3	1	1			1						1				7	6	13
3. Aneurism																											
4. Senile Gangrene	1	1			1														1						3	2	5
5. Embolism, Thrombosis (not Cerebral)		1			1															1						3	3
6. Phlebitis																									1	1	1
7. Varicose Veins																									1	1	1
8. Blood Vessels, Other Diseases							1		1		1		2				2	1	1	1	1		1		7	5	12
SUB-CLASS 5.—DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY ORGANS.																											
1. Laryngitis							1								1										2		2
2. Membranous Laryngitis (not Diphtheritic)																											
3. Croup (not Spasmodic or Membranous)																											
4. Larynx, Other Diseases (not Specified)																											
5. Bronchitis	2			1	1	1	1	4		2	3	2	2	2	4	2	2	3			1	3	2	22	17	39	
6. Lobar, Croupous-pneumonia		1																						1	1	5	6
7. Broncho, Catarrhal, Lobular Pneumonia		2													1		1							4	4	8	
8. Pneumonia	3	1	1			1	3	1		3		3	2	2	3	6	2	2	4	6		3	1	3	19	31	50
9. Emphysema, Asthma	2								2	1	1				2	1								1	8	6	14
10. Pleurisy	1										1					2									1	3	4
11. Fibroid Disease of Lung																											
12. Respiratory Diseases, Other					1			1				1			1	2						2	1		3	6	9
SUB-CLASS 6.—DISEASES OF DIGESTIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Tonsillitis, Quinsy																											
2. Mouth, Pharynx Disease (not Specified)							1																		1	1	1
3. Gastric Ulcer										1		1					1									2	3
4. Gastric Catarrh	1																										
5. Stomach, Other Diseases (not Malignant)		1	1	1		1							1								1				3	3	6
6. Enteritis (not Epidemic)			2	1		1	1		1		1	1		1	2		1				1	3	1		8	10	18
7. Gastro Enteritis	14	8	6	7	9	5	4	4	3	1	1	1	2		4	4	3	3	3	4	8	5	7	9	64	51	115
8. Appendicitis, Perityphlitis		1				1			1			1	1												4	3	7
9. Hernia	1								1								2				1				7	2	9
10. Intestinal Obstruction							1		1		1					1	2		1						1	7	4
11. Other Diseases of Intestines																									2	1	5
12. Peritonitis (not Puerperal)							1		1						1											4	9
13. Cirrhosis of Liver				1	1			1		1		1			1										1	3	4
14. Liver and Gall Bladder, Other Diseases	1	1		1					1		1			1	2		2		1					1	7	4	11
15. Digestive System, Other Diseases			2			1		1			1		1			1		1				1	1		4	5	9
SUB-CLASS 7.—LYMPHATIC DISEASES.																											
1. Spleen Disease																											
2. Lymphatic System, Other Diseases																											
3. Thyroid Body Disease										1																2	2
4. Supra Renal Capsule Disease																											
SUB-CLASS 8.—DISEASES OF URINARY SYSTEM.																											
1. Nephritis, Acute						1		2	1	1	1	2	4		1	2	2		2	1	1	1	1	1	13	11	24
2. Chronic Bright's Disease, Albuminuria	3		7	2	1	1	2	1	2		1	1	5		8	5	4	1	2	2	5	1	4	1	44	15	59
3. Calculus (not Biliary)																											
4. Bladder and Prostate Disease	1					1		2							3										7		7
5. Urinary System, Other Diseases			2			1	2						1				1		3	1	1			1	10	3	13
SUB-CLASS 9.—DISEASES OF GENERATIVE SYSTEM.																											
1. Ovarian Tumour (not Malignant)									1																	1	1
2. Other Diseases of Ovary																											
3. Uterine Tumour (not Malignant)		1					1																			3	3
4. Other Diseases of Uterus and Vagina						1						1														3	2
5. Disorders of Menstruation																											
6. Gener. and Mam. Orgs., Other Diseases										1			1		1										1	2	3
SUB-CLASS 10.—ACCIDENTS OF CHILDBIRTH.																											
1. Abortion, Miscarriage		1																								1	1
2. Puerperal Mania																											
3. Puerperal Convulsions																											
4. Placenta Previa, Flooding												1		1						1		1				3	3
5. Pregnancy, Childbirth, Other Accidents				1							1				1									1		4	4

TABLE No. XXVIII.--continued.

CAUSES of DEATHS of MALES and FEMALES Registered in the Metropolitan Area (Brisbane 10-mile radius) during each Month of the Year 1906—continued.

CLASSES, SUB-CLASSES, AND DISEASES.	JANUARY.		FEBRUARY.		MARCH.		APRIL.		MAY.		JUNE.		JULY.		AUGUST.		SEPTEMBER.		OCTOBER.		NOVEMBER.		DECEMBER.		TOTALS.		
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Males.	Females.	Persons.
CLASS II.—Local Diseases— <i>continued.</i>																											
SUB-CLASS 11.—DISEASES OF LOCOMOTOR SYSTEM.																											
1. Caries, Necrosis					1											1							1		2	1	3
2. Arthritis, Periostitis	1															1									1	1	2
3. Locomotor System, Other Diseases							1																		1	1	2
SUB-CLASS 12.—SKIN DISEASES.																											
1. Ulcer, Bed sore																1										1	1
2. Eczema																											
3. Pemphigus																											
4. Skin Diseases, Other					1								1												1	1	2
TOTAL CLASS II.	41	26	25	20	27	22	29	24	29	23	25	29	31	23	36	46	29	25	34	24	26	22	31	30	363	314	677
CLASS III.—Other Specified Diseases.																											
CLASS IV.—Ill-defined and Not Specified Diseases.																											
1. Atrophy, Debility	1									1							1								2	1	3
2. Old Age	3	3	1	1	2				2		2	3	4	3			3		1		4		2	2	24	12	36
3. Dropsy, Ascites, Anasarca																											
4. Tumour																											
5. Abscess																											
6. Hæmorrhage																											
7. Sudden (Cause unascertained)																											
8. Other Ill-defined Causes																											
9. Causes not Specified							1																		1		1
TOTAL CLASS IV.	4	3	1	1	2		1		2	1	2	3	4	3			4		1		4		2	2	27	13	40
CLASS V.—Violent Deaths.																											
SUB-CLASS 1.—ACCIDENT OR NEGLIGENCE.																											
1. In Mines or Quarries					1																				1		1
2. Railways																									1		1
3. Tramways													1												1		2
4. Other Vehicles																									1		3
5. Horses, &c.					1										1										3		3
6. Ships, Boats, and Docks (not Drowning)				1							1										1				3		3
7. Building Operations																											
8. Machinery																											
9. Weapons and Implements					1																				1		1
10. Burns and Scalds												1	1					1							1	3	4
11. Poisons, Poisonous Vapours													1												1		1
12. Drowning	1	1				1		1				2	1		1	1						1	1		7	4	11
13. Suffocation								1		1															3		3
14. Falls (Otherwise)	2				1		1	1				2	1	1											8	2	10
15. Weather—Sunstroke and Heat Apoplexy																						1			1		1
16. Weather—Lightning																											
17. Weather—Other																											
18. Snake Bites																											
19. Insect Bites																											
20. Otherwise, or not stated						1	1		1																2	1	3
SUB-CLASS 2.—HOMICIDE.																											
1. Murder { a By Whites													1		1						1				3		3
2. Manslaughter																											
3. Justifiable Homicide																											
SUB-CLASS 3.—SUICIDE.																											
1. By Poison					1				3			1		1					1		1				6	2	8
2. By Asphyxia																											
3. By Hanging or Strangulation							1																		1		1
4. By Drowning					1		1				1			1						1		1	1		5	2	7
5. By Firearms					1		1																		3		3
6. By Cutting Instruments														1		1				1					3		3
7. By Jumping from High Places																											
8. By Crushing																											
9. By Other Means																					1				1		1
SUB-CLASS 4.																											
1. Execution									2																2		2
TOTAL CLASS V.	3	1	1		7	1	5	2	8		3	3	6	4	6	1	3	1	1		8	1	6	2	57	16	73
TOTAL DEATHS OF MALES AND FEMALES FROM ALL CAUSES	85	52	45	31	51	37	58	45	68	48	59	54	59	50	63	67	57	41	68	50	64	45	63	51	740	571	1,311

APPENDIX B.

RETURN showing the Registry Districts of Queensland, with the Names of the Persons holding the Office of District Registrar on 31st December, 1906.

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT—BRISBANE.
THORNHILL WEEDON, REGISTRAR-GENERAL.

COUNTRY DISTRICTS.

Aramac	BRABAZON RICHARD STAFFORD.	Ipswich	MATTHEW McDERMOTT.
Balonne	ROBERT BLAIN HETHERINGTON	Kennedy	THOMAS HENNESSY.
Blackall	ERNEST JOSHUA HENNESSEY.	Leichhardt	TIMOTHY MURPHY.
Bowen	WILLIAM GRACE MORAN.	Logan	FREDERICK HAMILTON HYDE.
Bundaberg	ARTHUR EDGAR AITKIN.	Mackay	FREDERICK CHARLES MEREDITH
Burke	JOHN COURTNEY.		BURNE
Burnett	JOHN MITCHELL BROWN.	Maranoa	HENRY EDWD. COONEY.
Caboolture	THOMAS BRYCE.	Marathon	MICHAEL BROSNAN.
Cairns	CHARLES HEBER SHORT.	Maryborough	FREDERICK CHARLES HUNTER.
Cardwell	WILLIAM COCHRANE MILLER.	Moreton West	MATTHEW McDERMOTT.
Charleville	THOMAS LEWIS.	Mount Morgan	PERCY GORDON KNYVETT.
Clermont	FRANK GLIDDON ILLIDGE.	Oxley	JOHN MOFFATT.
Cloncurry	ALFRED HERMAN BERG.	Palmer	JOHN JAMES MAGEE.
Cook	JOHN JAMES MORAN.	Peak Downs	FRANCIS WM. KREBS.
Croydon	ROBERT WILLIAM MORAN.	Rockhampton	WALDRON JOSEPH COOPER WALKER
Cunnamulla	ALEXANDER DORSEY.		BURROWES.
Dalby	GEO. NEEDHAM WALKER.		ROBERT HARTLEY ALLEN (Assistant).
Darling Downs Central...	GEORGE ESSEX EVANS.	Somerset	WILLIAM PETER KELLY.
Darling Downs East ...	OSCAR ETHELBERT MESTON.	Springsure	WILLIAM LEIVESLEY.
Darling Downs North ...	GEO. NEEDHAM WALKER.	Stanley	THOS. CAMPBELL PRYDE
Darling Downs West ...	HUBERT MORRIS.	Stanthorpe	WILLIAM CATHRO TAIT RUSSELL
Diamantina	RICHARD GEORGE COCKBURN YEO	St. Lawrence	AUSTIN CAFFERTY.
	MARSHALL.	Tambo	JAMES ALEXANDER MURPHY.
Drayton and Toowoomba	GEORGE ESSEX EVANS.	Taroom	JOHN TIGHE.
Enoggera	JOHN NICHOLSON.	Tiaro	CORNELIUS CLEARY.
Etheridge	THOMAS HY. BODDINGTON.	Toowong	JOHN NICHOLSON.
Fassifern	GEORGE WHITNEY.	Townsville	RICHARD CURTIS.
Gladstone	WILLIAM SIMPSON.	Warrego	GEORGE PERRY (Acting).
Gympie	OSCAR EUGENE POWER	Warwick	OSCAR ETHELBERT MESTON.
Herberton	WILLIAM ERNEST HERBERT FER-	Westwood	WALDRON JOSEPH COOPER WALKER
	GUSON.		BURROWES.
Highfields	GEORGE ESSEX EVANS.		ROBERT HARTLEY ALLEN (Assistant).
Hughenden	JOHN WOODWARD WYNDHAM	Wide Bay	FREDERICK CHARLES HUNTER.
	JACKSON	Woothakata	JOSEPH WILLIAM LEE.

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